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Re: Your request made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

Please can I request (under the FOIA 2000):

Dear Trust Fol Officer,

I am writing to make an open government request for all the information to which I am entitled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Request 1A:

For 2021 please can I request the total number of times an inpatient in a mental health care facility (within your trust) was restrained. Request 1B:

For 2020 please can I request the total number of times an inpatient in a mental health care facility (within your trust) was restrained. Request 1C:

For 2019 please can I request the total number of times an inpatient in a mental health care facility (within your trust) was restrained.

Please can this information be sent to me electronically. If this request is too wide or unclear, I would be grateful if you could contact me as I understand that under the Act, you are required to advise and assist requesters.

If any of this information is already in the public domain, please can you direct me to it, with page references and URLs if necessary.

Under section 16 of the Freedom of Information act I request you offer advice and assistance on this request if necessary.

RDaSH provide the Mental health service, the contact details are below:

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Our FOI Team deals with these and can be contacted on the numbers/emails below.

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