

Our Ref: 148
February 2024

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

1. Please provide figures the three longest stays in the trust's A&E department in for the year 2023/24 to date. If possible, please specify the month they each occurred and if there was a specific reason.

We are unable to specify month as this may lead to identifiable information.

Breach Reason	Minutes in A&E
Bed Medicine	5492
Psychiatry	4558
Ambulance	4326

2. Please tell me the three longest stays in the trust's A&E department in 2022/23. If possible, please specify the month they each occurred and if there was a specific reason.

We are unable to specify month as this may lead to identifiable information.

Breach Reason	Minutes in A&E
Review by A&E Doctor	7128
Transfer Delay	5727
Social accommodation	5678

3. Please tell me how many patients were in the trust's A&E department for 24 hours or more before being admitted or discharged in 2023/24 to date.

24 Hour Breaches 2023-24
1219

4. Please tell me how many patients were in the trust's A&E department for 24 hours or more before being admitted or discharged in 2022/23.

24 Hour Breaches 2022-23
1455

5. Please tell me whether patients are ever cared for in non clinically designated areas during times of high demand in the A&E department? If yes, please could you specify where these areas are for example corridors, waiting rooms or relatives rooms

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Patients are always cared for in clinical areas which may include our care initiation area and overflow area as per our escalation policy