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Email:

Dear,

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI 220304.

You requested the following information, please also see our response below:

1. Please provide the number of allegations reported within your trust, clinical commissioning group or other care setting as defined, of

- a) Rape**
- b) Sexual assault**
- c) Sexual harassment**
- d) Sexual misconduct**

2019 – Less than 10 cases
2020 – Less than 10 cases
2021 – Less than 10 cases

Case numbers too small to provide additional details as it would be person identifiable data.

2. Please advise the location of these offences and or alleged offences broken down by location Mental Health Unit, Hospital, Other Hospital Setting to be clearly defined.

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3. Please provide this data for the last three years, 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022 to date.

As Above

4. Please provide a month by month and location

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5. Please identify if these allegations are

- A On Staff carried out by a staff Member**
- B On Staff carried out by a patient or visitor**
- C By Staff on a Patient**
- D by Staff on a visitor**
- E On Staff carried out by a visitor**

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6. For each of these allegations please advise if a suspect was identified and or arrested

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7. If a suspect was identified and the suspect was identified as a member or staff or a contractor to the trust, CCG or group. What was the outcome? Was the suspect subsequently arrested, charged or convicted? Was the suspect subsequently investigated, suspended or dismissed from the Trust.

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I hope you find this information of some assistance.

If for any reason you are dissatisfied with our response, kindly in the first instance contact Caroline Smart, Head of Information Governance via the following email address:

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Yours sincerely

**Freedom of Information Coordinator
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