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Email:

Dear,

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI 221034.

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

Please could you provide me with a list of each of the NHS patients, aged less than 18years, within your trust who have been billed for NHS care during the whole of the financial year of 2020-21, and any from the financial year 2021/22 that you currently have available.

Please do not include the billing of any EEA nationals, or private patients.

If possible, please format the data in an excel spreadsheet and include:

- 1. Year of birth
- 2. Country of birth
- 3. Nationality
- 4. Sex
- 5. Ethnicity
- 6. Date of entry into the UK
- 7. Amount billed
- 8. Date billed

9. Whether charging was deemed non-urgent, urgent or immediately necessary (if this is evident)

The Trust has not billed any NHS Patient for the financial years 2020/21 and 2021/22 as we are fully commissioned and paid for by the Integrated Care Boards (ICBs) to provide 999 (Ambulance) Emergency Response and NHS 111. 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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