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Email

Dear

Tel: 0300 123 0999 www.secamb.nhs.uk

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI 230913.

You requested the following information, please see our response on the attached spreadsheets:

Since the beginning of 2021/22 until the end of August 2023/24, could you tell us

How many patient safety incidents were recorded by the trust

Please split this by financial year, and by degree of harm (e.g xx 'no harm', xx 'low harm,' xx 'moderate harm', xx 'severe harm', xx 'death')

For each year, please provide data on the top ten 'causes' of PSIs. For example, how many related to issues in care such as 'inadequate assessment / treatment', or triage issues such as 'disposition too low' or to C1/ C2 delays?

Please detail the 'cause' of all PSIs with degree of harm of moderate or above.

Please see attached spreadsheets.

Where figures are less than 10, we are unable to provide the exact number as it may be identifiable to individuals.

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:

FOI@secamb.nhs.uk

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Coordinator

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