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Email:

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Dear,

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI/17/07/06.

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

## Under the Freedom of Information Act, please could you tell me how many addresses in the ambulance service area are currently marked with a red or amber warning for violence or aggression, broken down by the town where the address is.

We cannot give figures broken down by town as this may be identifiable to specific individuals. However please see figures for each county

RED	
Kent	18
Sussex	7
Surrey	5

AMBER	
Sussex	35
Kent	19
Surrey	10

A red marker relates to the highest risk category and is defined as those addresses where information available makes it clear that staff have been physically assaulted or threatened with violence.

An amber marker relates to those addresses where information available makes it clear that there is a potential risk to crews, or of abusive, aggressive/ inappropriate behaviour.

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, Information Governance Manager via the following email address:

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Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Coordinator South East Coast Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust

