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Dear,

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI/18/01/09.

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

How many paediatric patients aged between 1-5years did SECamb attend in the last 12 months?

Please see table below.

Please note prior to July 2017 the Trust's CAD system did not have a designated field for a call taker to collect patient ages. The new system was used fully across the Trust by early September. In the data table below (split by month) October represents the first *full month* where the new CAD system was in use.

How many of those patients were transported to an Emergency Department?

Please see table below:

Month	Responses	Transports*
July	768	535
August	862	589
September	1615	1157
October	1934	1334
November	2770	2004
December	2465	1958
January	1877	1502

*Please note that the 'Transports' field indicates a patient was conveyed to hospital, although this may not necessarily be to an emergency department.

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

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