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Re: Freedom of Information Request

Ref: 77- 2019

Thank you for your email dated 14th March 2019 requesting information regarding the number of patient falls which have occurred in NHS hospitals within Midlands Partnership NHS Foundation Trust.

The information that you require is as follows:

Could you please provide me with the following information:

1. The number of patient falls which have occurred in NHS hospitals within Midlands Partnership NHS Foundation Trust for the years: 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, and 2018.

In addition, could you also provide:

- 2. A breakdown of the number of these falls per hospital, by the years above.
- a. A breakdown of the severity of these falls (e.g. low, medium, high)
- 3. The number of patients who were never discharged after their fall i.e. died before discharge.
  - a. Could you break this down both by the years above, and by the hospital where they had the fall.

The Clatterbridge Cancer Centre NHS Foundation Trust does not form part of the Midlands Partnership NHS Foundation Trust. We are therefore unable to provide the information requested.

Please contact the Midlands Partnership NHS Foundation Trust directly. Details of how you can do this can be found on their website, we have provided the link below:

## http://www.mpft.nhs.uk/about-us/freedom-of-information

Should you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me on the email address provided below.

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for this to be investigated internally.

If you are dissatisfied with the information you have received, you have the right to ask for an internal review.

Both processes will be handled in accordance with our Trust's Freedom of Information Policy and the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Internal investigation and internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to: Freedom of Information Review, The Clatterbridge Cancer Centre NHS Foundation Trust, Clatterbridge Road, Bebington, Wirral, CH63 4JY

If you are not satisfied with the outcome of the internal investigation/review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

In order for us to ensure customer satisfaction and to monitor compliance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000, we would be grateful if you could take a couple of minutes to complete a short feedback form via the link below:

https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/H39RFMM

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