

Freedom of Information Request **19 180**

Our Reference: FOI 19 180 / AA / LB / LP
Name:
Date: 16 September 2019
Address:

Dear

Further to your Freedom of Information Request, please find the Trust's response below:

I'm a reporter for Pulse and I'm looking into secondary care discharge letters and referrals and would like a few questions to be answered under the Freedom of Information Act.

Please could you provide answers to each separate question covering the following time periods:

The first covering the time period 1st January 2015 – 31st December 2015; The second covering the time period 1st January 2016 – 31st December 2016; The third covering the time period 1st January 2017 – 31st December 2017; and the fourth covering the time period 1st January 2018 – 31st December 2018.

1. *For each time period, how many discharge summaries were sent to GP practices after 24 hours of a discharge of a patient? i.e how many discharge summaries were delayed in sending to GPs? This counts for outpatient, inpatient, day case and A&E care.*

Kindly note that Humber Teaching NHS Foundation Trust can only provide information from 2017 when the Trust began using our PAS system.

01/01/2017 – 31/12/2017	254
01/01/2018 – 31/12/2018	354

Also, if you are able to answer within the confines of the FOI limitations, please answer the following:

2. *For each time period, how many discharge summaries included planned and requested actions for GPs?*

3. *How many consultant to consultant (C2C) referrals were made in each time period?*

Humber Teaching NHS Foundation Trust is unable to provide a response for questions two and three as our systems do not record this information in a way that is reportable.

Kind regards,

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