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Dear [REDACTED]

### Request for Information

I write further to your request FOI ID 32284 under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 regarding:-

Primary Care Referrals

Your request is set out below:

1. What is the combined number of primary care referrals that you received for the period of 1 May 2021 – 30 April 2022 for all services provided by your NHS Foundation Trust?  
**28782 (where referral source was General Medical Practitioner or GP with Special Interest)**
2. What is the combined number of rejected primary care referrals for the period of 1 May 2021 – 30 April 2022 for all services provided by your NHS Foundation Trust?  
**9825 (where marked as inappropriate and referral source was General Medical Practitioner or GP with Special Interest)**
3. What is the combined number of primary care referrals that you received for the period of 1 May 2020 – 30 April 2021 for all services provided by your NHS Foundation Trust?  
**27339 (where referral source was General Medical Practitioner or GP with Special Interest)**
4. What is the combined number of rejected primary care referrals for the period of 1 May 2020 – 30 April 2021 for all services provided by your NHS Foundation Trust?  
**4022 (where marked as inappropriate and referral source was General Medical Practitioner or GP with Special Interest) Reduced number compared to 2021/22 impacted by pandemic)**

I confirm that the information above completes your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. I am also pleased to confirm that no charge will be made for this request.

If you have any questions or concerns or are unhappy with the response provided or the service you have received you can write to the Head of Information Governance at the address on top of this letter. If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision.

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Yours Sincerely

On Behalf of  
The Information Governance Department