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Dear [REDACTED]

Request for Information

I write further to your request FOI ID 44169 under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 regarding:-

Discharge and diagnosis figures

Your request is set out below:

1. The number of patients discharged from mental health services each tax year for the last five years.
Please see table below, these figures are based on a patient's care spell ending in each quarter. Care Spells is made up of overlapping referrals so based on the final referral closing.

Financial Year	Number of Patients Discharged
2019/2020	63526
2020/2021	62163
2021/2022	67876
2022/2023	66869
2023/2024	70182

2. The number of these patients discharged for not attending appointments or engaging with treatments.
Please see table below which provides figures based on patients who are recorded as 'did not attend', 'did not respond to be seen', dropped out/left, 'patient non-attendance, 'refused to be seen' and treatment refused.

Financial Year	Number of Patients Discharged
2019/2020	3229
2020/2021	2049
2021/2022	4696
2022/2023	5193
2023/2024	5243

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3. The number of these patients diagnosed with personality disorders (Groups A, B and C).
Please see table below, this is based on patients receiving a personality disorder diagnosis within a care spell and includes ICD10 codes from F60-F69.

Financial Year	Number of Patients Diagnosed
2019/2020	635
2020/2021	534
2021/2022	535
2022/2023	420
2023/2024	395

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.

Yours Sincerely

On Behalf of
The Information Governance Department