

**Request for information under the Freedom of Information Act – 2023.341
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Thank you for your email received 10 February 2023 requesting information regarding hospital discharges.

Please find detailed below a summary of your request, together with our response.

Summary of your original request:

Please can I be provided with the figures for the number of people without a fixed abode who have been discharged from hospitals within your trust in the year 2022.

Please can you provide this data in the following way.

- ***By annual year for 2022.***
- ***Please can you provide one figure, taking in the total discharges from your NHS trust.***
- ***Please can I also be provided with the figures for the number of people without a fixed abode who were readmitted within six months.***
- ***Can you please provide this data in the same way as above.***

Unfortunately we are not able to provide a response to your request as this is not specific information that we record under the address field in our reporting system. Therefore there is no way for us to determine if a patient had no fixed abode.

Chair John Goulston Chief Executive Mairead McCormick

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