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10 June 2022

Dear Sirs,

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST FOI2022/089**

I have considered your request and have set out the Trust's response below:

***I would like the following data regarding patients detained under the Mental Health Act in inpatient psychiatric units within your trust:***

***1) The current number of patients detained under MHA in NHS inpatient mental health facilities?  
a. how many of these have an autism diagnosis?***

***2) The current number of patients detained under MHA in private provider inpatient mental health facilities?  
a. how many of these have an autism diagnosis?***

***3) The number of sexual assault allegations made by inpatients against a member of staff?  
a. how many of these allegations were reported to the police?***

***Please could you share the most recent available data you hold and provide the information in the form of a spreadsheet (csv or xlsx) as that would be very helpful. If a spreadsheet is not possible then please provide the data in any form you may hold it in.***

The Wye Valley Trust does not have inpatient mental health facilities, and therefore this information is not held. Mental health services in Herefordshire are carried out by the Herefordshire and Worcestershire Health and Care NHS Trust, further details are available on their [web site](#).

**Please note that a record of previous Trust FOI responses is now available to consult online by visiting:**

<https://www.wyevalley.nhs.uk/about-us/information-requests/freedom-of-information-requests.aspx>

If you have queries or any concerns my contact details are given at the top of the letter. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are dissatisfied with the handling or response to your request and wish to ask for a review of this, please contact me and I will arrange this to be done.

Further information is available from the Information Commissioner's Office who can be contacted at:  
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Wycliffe House,  
Water Lane,  
Wilmslow,  
Cheshire, SK9 5AF

Telephone: 0303 123 1113 Web site: [www.ico.gov.uk](http://www.ico.gov.uk)

Yours sincerely,

Freedom of Information Coordinator

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