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Our Ref: FOI/IG/7692

Wednesday, 28 July 2021

Dear Ryan Dennis

Response to Request (FOI/IG/7692)

Please see the information below in response to your request received by us on 28 July 2021. Any exemptions applied to this request are indicated as appropriate/applicable.

On 01 October 2020, University Hospitals Dorset NHS Foundation Trust was created through the merger of Poole Hospital NHS Foundation Trust and The Royal Bournemouth and Christchurch Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust. Where appropriate, the information provided below is separated by hospital site.

Information Requested:

Dear University Hospitals Dorset NHS Foundation Trust,

I submitted a FOI to the Dorset CCG for the following they said they do not hold the data and that you may hold it.

I'm wanting to know the amount of young people referred to mental health services that were turned away last year in Dorset?

The longest wait for a person under 18 to receive treatment for mental health services after being referred.

Our Response:

Dorset HealthCare is responsible for all mental health services and many physical health services in Dorset

Please refer to Dorset HealthCare – they are the commissioned mental health provider.

Dorset HealthCare University NHS Foundation Trust
Sentinel House, Nuffield Industrial Estate,
Nuffield Road, Poole, BH17 0RB

Telephone:- 01202 277000

https://outspace.service.dhc.nhs.uk/foi_web/

Exemption(s) Applied:

Exemption Status:

We trust that this satisfactorily responds to your request however, if you feel it necessary, you do have the right of appeal against the response that we have provided. In the first instance, you should direct your complaint to our Information Governance Manager using the contact details provided at the top of this letter. If our internal complaints process does not resolve your concerns, you may also then submit a complaint to the Information Commissioner's Office either by post to Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF or by telephone on 0303 123 1113. You can also find further information regarding your rights under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 on the ICO website: <https://ico.org.uk/for-the-public/official-information/>.

Yours sincerely,

Information Governance

Sent on Behalf of the

Information Governance Department

University Hospitals Dorset NHS Foundation Trust