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Dear Will, Tel: 01480 830541 Fax: 01480 831315

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Thank you for your request for information made under provision of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Please find the Trust's response below (Reference FOI_3846)

I'm writing to obtain the following information relating specifically to your NHS Trust under the Freedom of Information Act 2000:

1. What is the number of serious incident reviews relating to clinical negligence at your hospitals in 2016, 2017 and 2018?

2016 1 on-going

2017 0

2018 1 on-going

2. What is the monetary value of successful clinical negligence claims made against your hospitals in 2016, 2017 and 2018?

Total damages per year:

2016 £22,000 2017 £105,000 2018 £439,406

- 3. In the last three years (2016, 2017 & 2018), what is the number of settled negligence claims where damages have been paid (number of cases and total monetary value) in relation to:
- Allegations of late diagnosis / misdiagnosis

2016 1 (Nil damages)

2017 3 (£105,000)

2018 1 (£80,000)

- Allegations of negligence leading to amputation

2016 0 2017 0 2018 0



- Cases involving stillbirth or neonatal death

2016 0 2017 0 2018 0

- Cases involving delayed diagnosis of cancer

2016 0 2017 0 2018 0

- Cases involving medication errors

2016 0 2017 0 2018 1 (£31,536)

- Legal cases alleging clinical negligence which have taken more than 5 years to reach

2016 0 2017 0 2018 1 (£80,000)

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The Trust hopes this information is of help to you but if you are not satisfied with the Trust's response, or want to complain about the way in which your request has been handled, you are entitled to request an internal review. This request should be received by the Trust within two months of your receipt of the Trust's original response.

To request an internal review, please contact the Information Governance Manager at papworth.foidept@nhs.net or write to: the Information Governance Manager, Royal Papworth Hospital NHS Foundation Trust, Papworth Everard, Cambridge CB23 3RE. Should your complaint not be upheld, you can appeal against this decision by contacting the Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, SK9 5AF (telephone number: 08456 30 60 60).

Yours sincerely

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Freedom of Information Officer

