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Dear Ms Black,

Your request for information received on 26 August 2021 has now been considered. A response to your enquiry is provided below.

I would like to request the following data relating to the "Foundation to Health and Veterinary Studies (Year 0)" course. I would like to know how many applicants, interview invites and offers there were for the following pathways listed below in the UCAS admission cycles: 2017/2018, 2018/2019, 2020/2021.

- Foundation to Health and Veterinary Studies (Dentistry) (Year 0) COURSE CODE: 0AAW
- Foundation to Health and Veterinary Studies (Medicine) (Year 0) COURSE CODE: 789S
- Foundation to Health and Veterinary Studies (Veterinary Science) (Year 0) COURSE CODE: 74JJ

Applications	2017-18	2018-19	2020-21
Medicine 789S	77	77	120
Dentistry OAAW	17	17	30
Veterinary Science 74JJ	39	39	79

Interviews	2017-18	2018-19	2020-21
Medicine 789S	23	20	24
Dentistry OAAW	14	7	6
Veterinary Science 74JJ	10	13	15

Offers made	2017-18	2018-19	2020-21
Medicine 789S	14	14	21
Dentistry OAAW	5	5	5
Veterinary Science 74JJ	<5	<5	7

The University has not been able to give the exact counts of five or less. This information is exempt under section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 as disclosure of this information would breach one of the data protection principles; if linked with other personal identifiers in the public domain, it would be likely to become personal data and subsequently identify an individual. The University has inserted a Less than five (<5) value where applicable.

If you are unhappy with the way we have handled your request for information, you have a right under Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act to ask the University to review it; however, you must do so within 40 working days of the date of this response. Your request should include our reference number and explain the reason for requesting a review. Email foi@liverpool.ac.uk or write to the Freedom of Information Reviewer, Legal & Governance, University of Liverpool, Foundation Building, 765 Brownlow Hill, Liverpool L69 7ZX. We will respond to your request for an internal review within 20 working days of receipt.

Following an internal review, if you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have a right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF. Telephone: 0303 123 1113 www.ico.org.uk.

There is no charge for making an appeal.

Yours sincerely

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