

Our ref: FOI_3868

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Dear Andy,

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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_3868)

Can you specify how many patients under the age of 18 have been treated for knife injuries in your Trust since 2013. Can you give a break down by age and sex. **Royal Papworth Hospital NHS Foundation Trust is a specialist Hospital, although we have on occasions treated patients with knife wounds, they have been sent to us by an A&E. The Trust is withholding this information under section 12 of the FOIA as we do not hold the information on these patients in a reportable format. This therefore would take an unreasonable amount of time for us to manually collate the requested information.**

Over the same period can you tell me how many staff while at work in Trust hospitals have been threatened with a knife or similar sharp object, or attacked by people using knives or similar sharp object? **The Trust has had no attacks on staff within the hospital grounds.**

How many staff or visitors (ie not patients) to Trust hospitals have required treatment following an attack in a hospital? **0**

How many times have police been called to hospitals in the trust area to deal with incidents involving violent behaviour of patients or hospital visitors in each year from 2013 to present? **0**

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Yours sincerely

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Freedom of Information Officer

