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Dear Mr Chapman

Re: Freedom of Information Request

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request dated 2 February 2018 seeking information about Learning Disability Services within the Trust. The answers to your questions are shown below:

Question 1:

For each of the years 2017, 2016 and 2015 please specify:

The total number of adult patients admitted for assessment at the ATU unit, Martin Long Centre and the percentage of those admitted/sectioned under the Mental Health Act 1983

Question 2:

Also, the shortest, longest and average length of stay

Answers 1 & 2:

	2015	2016	2017
Total number of patients admitted	7	13	11

Number of patients admitted under			
the Mental Health Act 1983	3	5	2
% patients admitted under the MHA	43%	38%	18%

	2015 - 2017
Shortest length of stay (days)	8
Longest length of stay (days)	602
Average length of stay (days)	187

Please note that the Martyn Long Centre closed as of the 19 February 2012 and the data above relates to the Selden Centre (Learning Disability Service inpatient unit) in Worthing.

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I hope this information is helpful. However, if you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date you received the response to your original request and should be addressed to:

Samantha Allen Chief Executive Sussex Partnership NHS Foundation Trust Swandean, Arundel Road, Worthing, West Sussex, BN13 3EP

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF

Yours sincerely

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