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Freedom of Information Act 2000

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to referrals to the CHANNEL Panel.

- (1) The number of patients and staff referred to the CHANNEL Panel, broken down by age, ethnicity, gender and faith*, where this information is known.*
- (2) The number of CHANNEL Panel information requests, broken down by age, ethnicity, gender and faith*, where this is known.*
- (3) Any information that the Trust holds sent to NHS England on Prevent or CHANNEL referrals.*
- (4) Any Trust guidance or policy on the implementation of the Prevent duty and related aforementioned duties.*

For the avoidance of doubt, requests for ages, ethnicity, gender and faith include a request for two recordings of age, ethnicity, gender and faith if possible.*

*Firstly, the recordings for each as self-selected by the person questioned/reported/referred (i.e. the 'self-defined' recording).
Secondly, the selection of the staff member questioning/reporting/referring ('staff-perceived').*

This information is exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 Section 36 as the Trust is not required to provide information in response to a request if the information would prejudice or would be likely to prejudice “the effective conduct of public affairs.”