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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 C.Difficile, MRSA, Klebsiella Pneumoniae Carbapenemase and E.coli.

For the years 2014, 2015, and 2016 please details the following:

How many people and inpatients have been infected with and treated for a superbug.

List which superbug people were infected with.

In which hospital did they contract the infection?

How many of these people later died of the infection?

	2014		
	Maidstone Hospital	Tunbridge Wells Hospital	Community
E. coli bacteraemia	40	26	219
MRSA bacteraemia	1	1	1
C. difficile	15	15	68

	2015		
	Maidstone Hospital	Tunbridge Wells Hospital	Community

E. coli bacteraemia	26	24	253
MRSA bacteraemia	1	0	5
C. difficile	8	13	55

	2016		
	Maidstone Hospital	Tunbridge Wells Hospital	Community
E. coli bacteraemia	25	26	272
MRSA bacteraemia	0	1	2
C. difficile	11	14	65

The Trust has not had any infections with carbapenemase producing *Klebsiella pneumoniae*

The mortality data is not held in an easily accessible format and the Trust has estimated that it will cost more than the appropriate limit to consider this part of your request. The appropriate limit is specified in regulations and represents the estimated cost of one person spending 3½ working days in determining whether the Trust holds the information, locating, retrieving and extracting the information. Under Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 the Trust is not obliged to comply with this part of your request and we will not be processing this part of your request further.