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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 cardiac arrest, myocarditis, stroke and generalised tonic clonic seizure.

You asked

- 1) In total, how many patients were admitted due to cardiac arrest (myocardial infarction) for the years 2019, 2020 and 2021?*
- 2) In the year 2021, how many of these patients that were admitted with confirmed MI (myocardial infarction)/cardiac arrest) had been unvaccinated, had a single dose, had a double dose of covid19 vaccine prior to admission?*
- 3) How many patients have been diagnosed with acute myocarditis (both inpatients and outpatients) in the following age brackets*
- 4) For the year 2021 (in each of the age groups), how many patients with acute myocarditis were unvaccinated, had a single dose of covid19 vaccine and had a double dose of covid19 vaccine?*
- 5) In total, how many patients were admitted due to stroke (cerebrovascular accident) for the years 2019, 2020 and 2021?*
- 6) In the year 2021, how many of these patients that were admitted with Stroke (cerebrovascular accident) had been unvaccinated, had a single dose, had a double dose of covid19 vaccine prior to admission?*
- 7) In the year 2021, how many of the above patients that were admitted with stroke (cerebrovascular accident), later died?*
- 8) In total, how many patients attended the A&E Department with their first generalised tonic clonic Seizure (GTCS) in the years 2019, 2020 and 2021?*
- 9) In the year 2021, how many patients admitted with their first generalised tonic clonic Seizure (GTCS) had been unvaccinated, had a single dose, had a double dose of covid19 vaccine prior to admission?*

Trust response:

1. Data below is for myocardial infarction

Cardiac arrest (myocardial infarction) Admissions			
	2019 number of admissions	2020 number of admissions	2021 number of admissions
<i>January</i>	34	42	42
<i>February</i>	43	40	33
<i>March</i>	34	32	41
<i>April</i>	37	24	41
<i>May</i>	38	39	28
<i>June</i>	32	34	25
<i>July</i>	31	40	40
<i>August</i>	30	46	40
<i>September</i>	36	40	38
<i>October</i>	43	28	31
<i>November</i>	46	32	
<i>December</i>	35	47	

2. The Trust is not required to hold this information in a reportable format. It may be possible that this information has been entered into a patients record but in order to confirm this each patient record would need to be manually checked by a clinical staff member. 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.

3. The following information relates to inpatients only.

Patients diagnosed with acute myocarditis			
Age	2019	2020	2021
<i>1-11 years</i>			
<i>12-15 years</i>			
<i>16-19 years</i>	2		1
<i>20-29 years</i>	2	1	1
<i>30-39 years</i>			2
<i>40-49 years</i>	1		
<i>50-59 years</i>			
<i>60-69 years</i>		3	
<i>≥70 years</i>		2	2

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5. Data below is for Cerebrovascular Accident

Stroke (cerebrovascular accident) Admissions			
	<i>2019 number of admissions</i>	<i>2020 number of admissions</i>	<i>2021 number of admissions</i>
<i>January</i>	2	2	
<i>February</i>	2	1	1
<i>March</i>	4		
<i>April</i>	1	1	
<i>May</i>	1		
<i>June</i>	4	4	1
<i>July</i>	2	1	2
<i>August</i>		8	
<i>September</i>	1	2	
<i>October</i>	3		7
<i>November</i>	2	2	
<i>December</i>	1	2	

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8. Below is A+E admissions with Diagnosis code for generalised tonic clonic Seizure (GTCS)

<i>Patients attending the A&E department with their first generalised tonic clonic Seizure (GTCS)</i>			
	<i>2019 number of A&E Admissions / Attendances</i>	<i>2020 number of A&E Admissions / Attendances</i>	<i>2021 number of A&E Admissions / Attendances</i>
<i>January</i>	6	9	4
<i>February</i>	9	5	6
<i>March</i>	8	5	9
<i>April</i>	7	5	7
<i>May</i>	7	2	8
<i>June</i>	6	5	6
<i>July</i>	8	5	6
<i>August</i>	10	5	4
<i>September</i>	4	7	6
<i>October</i>	4	5	10
<i>November</i>	6	1	
<i>December</i>	9	3	

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