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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 chemsex related admissions.

- 1. The number of chemsex related admissions to hospital in each of the following periods:
- 2010/2011
- 2011/2012
- 2012/2013
- 2013/2014
- 2014/2015
- 2. The number of fatalities due to consumption of chemsex drugs (mephedrone, GHB, GBL, methamphetamine), in each of the following periods:
- 2010/2011
- 2011/2012
- 2012/2013
- 2013/2014
- 2014/2015
- 3. Number of emergency calls regarding a chemsex-related casualty /ies in each of the following periods:
- 2010/2011
- 2011/2012
- 2012/2013
- 2013/2014
- 2014/2015

The Trust has found that this is not something that can be specifically coded. The drugs named below are used other than for chemsex so searching on these codes would result in false results.

This information cannot be searched for electronically 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.