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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 Pressure Ulcer incidents in 2015.

In 2015, how many pressure ulcer incidents were there throughout the Trust and how many of those were grade 3 or 4?

How much did this cost your trust in total?

Please see the attached table:

The cost information will be different for each individual, and would depend on many factors:

Facility or community acquired

Position and size of pressure ulcer

Complex morbidities that could impact on skin and the healing process. (To list just a few). We would be unable to provide a true cost so this information would have to be the national average and not relate to our trust.

Safer, Smarter Care Template	Month	Jan-15	Feb-15	Mar-15	Apr-15	May-15	Jun-15	Jul-15	Aug-15	Sep-15	Oct-15	Nov-15	Dec-15
Trust (based on incident date)	Cat 2	13	9	17	4	14	10	10	10	13	14	17	8
	Cat 3	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
	Cat 4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
	Ungradeable	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	3
	Total	13	9	18	4	14	11	12	10	13	14	18	11