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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 DTOC and missed target fines.

You asked:

1) What is the name of?

a) Your trust

b) The hospitals run by your trust

2) What is the longest time (in days) one patient has remained in a bed at your trust due to delays in transfer of care (DTOC) from October 2016 to October 2018?

3) What was the age of the patient (from question 2) and the reason for delay?

4) How much money has your trust been fined or had withdrawn/withheld for not meeting the percentage target for A&E waiting time (4 hours) in the following financial years: (If possible please breakdown by quarters, if not just give the whole sum for that period)

a) 2017/2018

b) so far 2018

5) How much money has your trust been fined or had withdrawn/withheld for not meeting the percentage target for referral to treatment time of 18 weeks for patients in the following financial years: (If possible please breakdown by quarters, if not just give the whole sum for that period)

a) 2017/2018

b) so far 2018

6) How much money has your trust been fined or had withdrawn/withheld for not meeting the 15 minute target of handing over a patient from an ambulance to your hospital in the following financial years: (If possible please breakdown by quarters, if not just give the whole sum for that period)

a) 2017/2018

b) so far 2018

Trust response:

1.

a. Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust

b. Maidstone Hospital and Tunbridge Wells Hospital at Pembury.

2. 137 days

3. The patient was between 80 and 89 years of age.

The reason for the delay 'Awaiting Nursing Home'.

4.

a. No fines or penalties were applied for any of the targets mentioned in either 2017/18 or so far this year.

b. No fines or penalties were applied for any of the targets mentioned in either 2017/18 or so far this year.

5.

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b. No fines or penalties were applied for any of the targets mentioned in either 2017/18 or so far this year.

6.

a. No fines or penalties were applied for any of the targets mentioned in either 2017/18 or so far this year.

b. No fines or penalties were applied for any of the targets mentioned in either 2017/18 or so far this year.