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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 the number of people who died while waiting for elective care.

*You asked:*

*I am writing to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, the number of people who died while waiting for elective care at your trust in 2021.*

Trust response:

The number of individual people recorded in the Trust's referral to treatment (RTT) system as having died in the year January-December 2021 whilst waiting for first treatment on an RTT pathway is 110. Please note that several of these patients had more than one pathway for different conditions.