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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 National Guidance on Learning from Deaths.

You asked:

Please may I receive the following data described in that guidance, on a monthly basis from the beginning of 2018 to the most recent month available:

- 1. The total number of in-patient deaths (including emergency department deaths)*
- 2. The number of deaths subject to case record review*
- 3. Of these deaths subjected to review, the number that were judged more likely than not to have been due to problems in care*

If data is not available at the beginning of 2018, please supply data from the earliest point after when data was collected.

Trust response:

1.

Month/Year	Total	Month/Year	Total	Month/Year	Total
Jan-18	206	Jan-20	163	Jan-22	177
Feb-18	156	Feb-20	138	Feb-22	143
Mar-18	178	Mar-20	171	Mar-22	160
Apr-18	127	Apr-20	164	Apr-22	148
May-18	126	May-20	149	May-22	135
Jun-18	126	Jun-20	102	Jun-22	111
Jul-18	128	Jul-20	109		
Aug-18	121	Aug-20	108		
Sep-18	148	Sep-20	118		
Oct-18	126	Oct-20	107		

Nov-18	107	Nov-20	150
Dec-18	125	Dec-20	315
Jan-19	178	Jan-21	350
Feb-19	141	Feb-21	149
Mar-19	145	Mar-21	125
Apr-19	143	Apr-21	119
May-19	122	May-21	97
Jun-19	100	Jun-21	112
Jul-19	127	Jul-21	136
Aug-19	114	Aug-21	103
Sep-19	136	Sep-21	138
Oct-19	133	Oct-21	166
Nov-19	139	Nov-21	138
Dec-19	146	Dec-21	166

2. & 3.

Please note: Due to the very small numbers further more detailed information will not be released in order to protect possible patient identification.

2018	Total
No for case record review	133
No with problems in care	16
2019	Total
No for case record review	105
No with problems in care	35
2020	Total
No for case record review	61
No with problems in care	6
2021	Total
No for case record review	151
No with problems in care	25
2022	Total
No for case record review	55
No with problems in care	3
Grand Total - 2018 to 2022	Total
No for case record review	505
No with problems in care	85