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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 Restraint used on children.

You asked: All questions are shown as received by the Trust.

- 1. The occasions when children, who attended A&E with their chief complaint being mental health related, were restrained by staff, broken down by financial year, since 2010.
- 2. The total number of children, who attend A&E with their chief complaint being mental health related, broken down by financial year, since 2010.

Trust response:

- 1. The report run in response to this question for children aged up to 16 years old showed a nil return. We are unable to provide the information relating to children aged between 16 and 18 years old as we no longer have access to the reporting system used at the time.
- 2. The Trust has previously answered this question (ID 7830) a copy of this response can be found on our website.