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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 dental distress.

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

1. The number of patients admitted to hospital with severe dental distress every month between 01/01/2023 and 31/07/2023.

2. The number of patients admitted to hospital with tooth decay every month between 01/01/2023 and 31/07/2023.

3. The total number of patients admitted to hospital every month between 01/01/2023 and 31/07/2023.

4. The number of patients admitted to hospital with severe dental distress every month between 01/01/2019 and 31/07/2019.

5. The number of patients admitted to hospital with tooth decay every month between 01/01/2019 and 31/07/2019.

6. The total number of patients admitted to hospital every month between 01/01/2019 and 31/07/2019.

Trust response:

1. Severe dental distress is not coded. We are unable to answer the question. 2.

	2023-01	2023-02	2023-03	2023-04	2023-05	2023-06	2023-07		
	1	1	3	1	2	3	2		
3.									
	2023-01	2023-02	2023-03	2023-04	2023-05	2023-06	2023-07		
	13731	13250	15138	13235	14868	14871	14264		

4. Severe dental distress is not coded. We are unable to answer the question.

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2019-04	2019-07	
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2019-01	2019-02	2019-03	2019-04	2019-05	2019-06	2019-07
13260	11838	13044	12547	13463	12421	13559