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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 medium- or high-security psychiatric facilities.

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

1. Between 01.01.19-03.04.24, how many patients have absconded from your medium- or high-security psychiatric facilities?

2. Of that figure, how many were/are serving sentences for either murder, manslaughter (with or without diminished responsibility) or rape?

3. Please provide a breakdown of these stats by security level, year and sentence.

Trust response:

Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust does not have a medium-or-highsecurity psychiatric ward.