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Freedom of Information Act Disclosure log - Reply Extract

You asked

- 1) **How many admissions of children (under 18's) presenting with eating disorders your trust has recorded in the past five years?**
- 2) **How many of these children treated were male/female/transgender?**

Please present all this information simply and clearly and break it down by year.

Please provide as much detail as possible about the nature of their illness (I understand that some children may present with multiple illnesses).

I would like this information broken down by type of eating disorder e.g. bulimia, anorexia etc.

For example:

2013:

-XXX male children. 55% anorexia, 45% bulimia

-XXX female children 450 anorexia, 150 bulimia

-XXX transgender children

Our reply

Please find the numbers of under 18-years admissions between April 1st 2013 & March 31st 2018 where Eating Disorders* Coding recorded at point of Admission. See legal notes for redaction rationale.

Note

* Eating Disorders defined by ICD10 Codes of F500 or F501 (Anorexia nervosa), F502, F503, F504 (Bulimia Nervosa), F508, F509 (Binge eating/Eating disorder) coded in any position.

** Five or fewer admissions had both Anorexia and Bulimia Nervosa coding recorded on admission. (refer to female admission spreadsheet only).

*** The data report was created 06/12/2018.

| Number of Female Admissions | | | | |
|-----------------------------|---|--|--|---|
| Financial Year | Anorexia Nervosa - Number of Admissions | Binge Eating Disorder - Number of Admissions | Bulimia Nervosa - Number of Admissions | Anorexia Nervosa & Bulimia Nervosa - Number of Admissions** |
| FY 1314 | 15 | 9 | Five or fewer | - |
| FY 1415 | 15 | 12 | Five or fewer | Five or fewer |
| FY 1516 | 23 | 6 | - | - |
| FY 1617 | 26 | 11 | Five or fewer | Five or fewer |
| FY 1718 | 19 | 25 | Five or fewer | Five or fewer |

| Number of Male Admissions | | | | |
|---------------------------|---|--|--|---|
| Financial Year | Anorexia Nervosa - Number of Admissions | Binge Eating Disorder - Number of Admissions | Bulimia Nervosa - Number of Admissions | Anorexia Nervosa & Bulimia Nervosa - Number of Admissions |
| FY 1314 | Five or fewer | Five or fewer | Nil | Nil |
| FY 1415 | Nil | Nil | Nil | Nil |
| FY 1516 | Five or fewer | Five or fewer | Nil | Nil |
| FY 1617 | Nil | Five or fewer | Nil | Nil |
| FY 1718 | Five or fewer | Five or fewer | Five or fewer | Nil |

| Number of transgender admissions | | | | |
|----------------------------------|---|--|--|---|
| Financial Year | Anorexia Nervosa - Number of Admissions | Binge Eating Disorder - Number of Admissions | Bulimia Nervosa - Number of Admissions | Anorexia Nervosa & Bulimia Nervosa - Number of Admissions |
| FY 1314 | Nil | Nil | Nil | Nil |
| FY 1415 | Nil | Nil | Nil | Nil |
| FY 1516 | Nil | Nil | Nil | Nil |
| FY 1617 | Nil | Nil | Nil | Nil |
| FY 1718 | Nil | Nil | Nil | Nil |

Legal notes - For section 40 – Personal information redacted for Five or fewer
 University Hospitals Plymouth NHS Trust is confirming in accordance with section 1 (a) of the Act that it holds the information requested and is supplying it in accordance with section 1(b) unless otherwise specified.

Please find the answers to your questions noting that we have redacted the data set where numbers are five or fewer. This avoids a breach of the first two Data Protection Act principles and the general right to object to processing. The Trust in applying a five or fewer rule has also needed to remove totals to avoid inadvertent disclosure.

This refusal is in accordance with section 40.-(2)(a) and (b) by virtue of the first and second condition. It also satisfies our duties in compliance with section 16 of the FoI to offer advice and assistance.

Attachments included: No