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<b>Attachments</b>	No

## Freedom of Information Act Disclosure log - Reply Extract

You asked

1. The number of children sectioned under the Mental Health Act 1983 for the financial years 2016/17 and 2017/18.
2. The age ranges and gender of the children sectioned under the Mental Health Act 1983 for the financial year 2017/18.
3. The age and gender of the youngest girl and youngest boy sectioned under the Mental Health Act 1983 in the financial year 2017/18.

Please see an example below of how I would like the data laid out.

	<b>The number of children sectioned under the Mental Health Act 1983</b>
<b>2016/17</b>	Five or fewer
<b>2017/18</b>	Five or fewer

	<b>The age ranges of girls sectioned under the Mental Health Act 1983</b>	<b>The age ranges of boys sectioned under the Mental Health Act 1983</b>
<b>0-4</b>	0	0
<b>5-10</b>	0	0
<b>11-13</b>	0	0
<b>14-17</b>	Five or fewer	Five or fewer
<b>The age of the youngest girl and youngest boy sectioned under the Mental Health Act 1983</b>	<p>This part of your request is refused in accordance with section 40.-(2)(a) and (b) by virtue of the first and second condition.</p> <p>This is because you are not the data subject or acting on behalf of any data subject with</p>	<p>This part of your request is refused in accordance with section 40.-(2)(a) and (b) by virtue of the first and second condition.</p> <p>This is because you are not the data subject or acting on behalf of any data subject with</p>

	the appropriate permission/s to receive it.	the appropriate permission/s to receive it.
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**Legal notes**

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. 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 Act to offer advice and assistance.

We have refused the parts of your request for person specific information; in accordance with section 40.-2(a) and (b) by virtue of the first and second condition. This is because you are not the data subject or acting on behalf of any data subject with the appropriate permission/s to receive it. Such requests are not processed under this Act.

**Please provide the data as a downloadable Excel file. Ensuring no raw data is released.** Not Applicable.

**Attachments included:** No