

Date: 16/04/2015

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 - Ref: FOI/012185

With reference to your FOI request that was received in connection with 'Medication errors', please see response below.

I would like to request information with the most recent statistics of:

1. How many medication errors in regards to misidentification of patient have occurred in the last 5 years ?
2. How many incidents of misidentification of a patient have occurred in the last 5 years?

In line with the never event number 23 \Misidentification of patients

The Trust has reviewed its incident reporting database DATIX and there are no records of Never Events relating to your questions 1 and 2.

3. The total number of inpatients for each year.

2014/15 - see response below

Information on the Trust's inpatients can be found by accessing the link below and by reviewing the Monthly Hospital Activity for RNA The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust.

<http://www.england.nhs.uk/statistics/statistical-work-areas/hospital-activity/>

2013/14
2012/13
2012/11

Under FOI exemption Section 21 the information for the dates requested above is accessible to you by other means.

For further information about the published Trust statistics, for the dates above, please contact :

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