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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST FOI/012433 – Carbon monoxide poisoning

We are launching a public awareness campaign alerting people to the dangers of carbon monoxide poisoning. To highlight the dangers we need the statistical answers to the following six sets of questions:

- How many cases of carbon monoxide poisoning have been treated in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015)?
- How many cases of carbon monoxide poisoning in children aged 0-18 have been treated in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015)?
- How many cases of carbon monoxide poisoning in adults aged 18-25 have been treated in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015)?
- How many cases of carbon monoxide poisoning in adults aged 60+ have been treated in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015)?
- How many cases have attended A&E in the past year with suspected carbon monoxide poisoning?
- How many children aged 0-18 have attended A&E in the past year with suspected carbon monoxide poisoning?
- How many adults aged 18-25 have attended A&E in the past year with suspected carbon monoxide poisoning?
- How many adults aged 60+ have attended A&E in the past year with suspected carbon monoxide poisoning?
- How many cases have been treated in A&E in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015) for carbon monoxide poisoning?
- How many children aged 0 - 18 have been treated in A&E in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015) for carbon monoxide poisoning?
- How many adults aged 18 - 25 have been treated in A&E in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015) for carbon monoxide poisoning?
- How many adults aged 60+ have been treated in A&E in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015) for carbon monoxide poisoning?
- How many cases have been admitted from A&E in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015) for carbon monoxide poisoning treatment?
- How many children aged 0 - 18 have been admitted from A&E in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015) for carbon monoxide poisoning treatment?
- How many adults aged 18 - 25 have been admitted from A&E in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015) for carbon monoxide poisoning treatment?
- How many adults aged 60+ have been admitted from A&E in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015) for carbon monoxide poisoning treatment?
- How many people have died in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015) due to carbon monoxide poisoning?
- How many children aged 0 - 18 have died in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015) due to carbon monoxide poisoning?
- How many adults aged 18 - 25 have died in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015) due to carbon monoxide poisoning?
- How many adults aged 60+ have died in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015) due to carbon monoxide poisoning?
- How many people have been hospitalised in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015) due to carbon monoxide poisoning?
- How many children aged 0 - 18 have been hospitalised in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015) due to carbon monoxide poisoning?
- How many adults aged 18 - 25 have been hospitalised in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015) due to carbon monoxide poisoning?
- How many adults aged 60+ have been hospitalised in the past year (July 2014 - July 2015) due to carbon monoxide poisoning?

In response to your request on carbon monoxide poisoning:-

The Trust is only able to clinical code patients admitted on a ward with carbon monoxide poisoning.

During the last year there were three patients who were admitted with an ICD10 code of T58X - toxic effect of carbon monoxide.

The three patients attended the Emergency Department first and then were admitted and treated on the ward.

Their ages were -

One in the 18 -25 age range

Two in the 80 - 90 age range

No patients died.