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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST FOI/013680 - Sandwell patients who come to RHH

Please can you advise me if you have an information team that can inform me of the following for past year for patients/carers who live in Sandwell:

1. Number of admissions and readmissions to hospital care?

18923 – this is based on CCG post code of residence and includes all elective and non elective admissions. Readmission this is based this on 30 day PbR and is 29.

2. Reasons for admissions?

See list below which outlines the primary diagnosis of admission

3. Number of admissions that had carers involved? –

Information not held electronically, if this information is recorded anywhere it would be in patient notes which are not accessible under the Freedom of Information Act.

4. Number of admissions due to carer breakdown – As above

5. Number of DTOCs – for NHS, ASC, or both

This information is already available to Sandwell Social Services. The Monthly DGOH DTOC table with figures is distributed every month. The figures are also available via STEIS Reporting and are in the public domain

6. Number of DTOCs due to g code “ patient family choice” and any further breakdown of the g code DTOCs - what are the choices that carers, patients and families are making that are delaying the discharge from hospital? This information is already available to Sandwell Social Services. The Monthly DGOH DTOC table with figures is distributed every month. The figures are also available via STEIS Reporting and are in the public domain

7. Any further breakdown of the reasons for DTOCs – including completion assessments, residential home and care package in home?

We only hold information on the specific SITREP DTOC reasons for delay. We do not have additional information about further breakdown of the reasons. We do not hold this information.

8. If hospital admissions and DTOCs have reduced, what good practice has worked to bring them down?

The Trust does not hold information on hospital admissions from Sandwell. We have information on Sandwell DTOC's and they have not reduced.

Count of Admissions	Description
2703	O00-O99: Pregnancy, childbirth : the puerperium
2156	R00-R99: Symptoms, signs : abnormal clinical : laboratory findings, nec
1559	J00-J99: Diseases of the respiratory system
1509	K00-K93: Diseases of the digestive system
1337	C00-D48: Neoplasms
1008	Z00-Z99: Factors influencing health status : contact with health services
908	ZUK No Diagnosis
893	N00-N99: Diseases of the genito-urinary system
738	I00- I99: Diseases of the circulatory system
647	H00-H59: Diseases of the eye : adnexa
618	S00-T98: Injury, poisoning : certain other consequences of external causes
608	M00-M99: Diseases of the musculoskeletal system : connective tissue
451	L00-L99: Diseases of the skin : subcutaneous tissue
396	A00-B99: Certain Infectious and parasitic diseases
358	P00-P96: Certain conditions of originating in the perinatal period
299	D50-D89: Diseases of blood : blood forming organs : certain disorders involving the immune mechanism
220	G00-G99: Diseases of the nervous system
200	E00-E90: Endocrine, nutritional : metabolic diseases
91	F00-F99: Mental : behavioural disorders
63	H60-H95: Diseases of the ear : mastoid process
62	Q00-Q99: Congenital malformations, deformations : chromosomal abnormalities