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West Midlands  
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**Date:** 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2023

**Address / Email:**

**Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

Thank you for requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

**Response**

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information from your NHS Trust. Please may you provide me with:

1. The total time, in hours, children spent in A&E, in the financial year 2022 to 2023, where their chief complaint was mental health related.
2. The total number of children who attended A&E, in the financial year 2022 to 2023, where their chief complaint was mental health related.
3. The total time, in hours, adults spent in A&E, in the financial year 2022 to 2023, where their chief complaint was mental health related.
4. The total number of adults who attended A&E, in the financial year 2022 to 2023, where their chief complaint was mental health related.

Please provide the data in a table format.

The following presenting conditions have been used, DELIBERATE SELF HARM, INGESTION (+ ALCOHOL), PSYCHIATRIC

|                               | 0-17 | 18+  | Grand Total |
|-------------------------------|------|------|-------------|
| Number of Patients Presenting | 206  | 313  | 519         |
| Number of hours               | 1061 | 3894 | 4955        |

If you are dissatisfied with our response, you have the right to appeal in line with guidance from the Information Commissioner. In the first instance you may contact the Information Governance Manager of the Trust.

Information Governance Manager  
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Should you disagree with the contents of our response to your appeal, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioners Office at.

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If you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

**Freedom of Information Team**  
**The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust**