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Russells Hall Hospital  
Dudley  
West Midlands  
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**Ref:** FOI-052025-0001631

**Date:** 23.5.25

**Address / Email:**

Dear

**Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

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

**Request**

The number of A&E attendances for which “ketamine” was recorded – either in the patient notes or in the free text field “reason for visit”.

Could you please provide me with these figures for the years 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 and 2025 [most up-to-date figure available]:

Could you please break down these figures by age group.

**Response**

Not known.

We are unable to run a report by specific drug our records will state either ‘Drugs’ or ‘OD’ for Overdose.

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.

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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  
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