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Address / Email:

Dear

Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000

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

I am collecting evidence in relation to the end-of-life experiences of dying adults and wish submit the following questions to you under the Freedom of Information Act.

Q1. Are there any Specialist Palliative Care Units (SPCUs) within your Trust? If yes, please provide the name and address of these. - **No**

Q2. Please provide information on the following within your Trust between January 2023 and December 2025 (inclusive). Broken down by year if possible:

- i) The number of suicides in SPCUs (by adults 18+) - **N/A**
- ii) The number of attempted suicides in SPCUs (by adults 18+) - **N/A**

Q3. Please provide information on the following within your Trust between January 2023 and December 2025 (inclusive), excluding data provided in Q2. Broken down by year if possible:

- i) The number of suicides in any hospital ward by patients receiving specialist palliative care (by adults aged 18+)
- ii) The number of attempted suicides in any hospital ward by patients receiving specialist palliative care (by adults aged 18+)

- Not known unable to run a report for this information

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

Yours sincerely

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