

Date: 8 July 2019

Our reference: FOIRQ5275

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for your request for information processed under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Please see our response to your requests for information below:

Your Request and Our Response (in bold)

1. The percentage of patients who have died on the Trust's end-of-life care plan against the Trust's target for the number of patients who should die on this plan over the last three years, divided by the year.

e.g. Between 1 January 2016 and 31 December 2016, 43 per cent of patients died on the plan against a target of 35 per cent.

Note: If no such target exists, please make this clear.

The Trust does not put patients on an end of life plan and do not have a target for number of patients who should be on one. Every baby, child and young person has a personalised management plan. These plans include how symptoms will be managed and a treatment escalation plan. These plans are written in discussion with parents/carers and, where appropriate, with input from the young person. Plans are flexible and are reviewed regularly; which is often on a daily basis.

2. The amount received by the Trust, via the Commissioning for Quality and Innovation (CQUIN) system or similar, for hitting targets related to its end-of-life care plan for the last three years, divided by the year.

e.g. Between 1 January 2016 and 31 December 2016, the Trust received £X via CQUIN for achieving goals involving its ICP.

Note: If no such payments were made, please make this clear.

The Trust has not had a CQUIN related to 'End of Life' covering the period requested.

Please note:

The information provided under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 is the information held on the date your request was received by the Trust.



We trust the information provided is sufficient and helped to answer any issues, concerns or questions. Should you have any further queries in relation to this request, please do not hesitate to contact the FOI Team and quote the above reference number on any related correspondence.

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Yours sincerely

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You can also write to the Head of Quality & Safety at the following address:

Quality & Safety team Great Ormond Street Hospital LONDON WC1N 3JH

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