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Dear

INFORMATION REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

We are now pleased to respond to your request for information under the FOI Act.

You asked:

We are seeking data on the deaths of children and young people in receipt of in-patient mental health services (both voluntary in-patients and detained).

For each year (2017, 2016, 2015, 2014, 2013), please provide statistical information relating to children and young people (aged 24 and under) who have died receiving in-patient psychiatric care at the time of their death in any hospital, unit or private setting under the management or control of Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust. Please provide data on;

- 1. The number of children who have died whilst receiving in-patient psychiatric care at the time of their death.*
- 2. A breakdown of age, gender and ethnicity.*
- 3. A breakdown of the cause of death where known.*
- 4. For each year, please provide the patient status, i.e. whether the child was detained or non-detained at the time of their death*
- 5. The location of the death i.e. the hospital, NHS Trust, unit name or private provider.*

This Trust does not provide mental health services. Please redirect your query to:

By post, in writing to:

Information Governance and Clinical Coding
Finance and Informatics Directorate
North West Boroughs Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust
Hollins Park House
Winwick

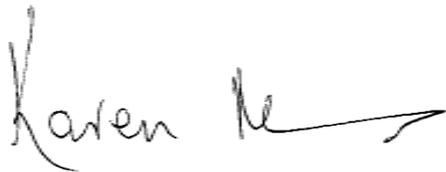
Warrington
WA2 8WA

By email to:

foi@nwbh.nhs.uk

I trust that this information is helpful to you, however if you are not entirely satisfied with this response please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department on 01257 488271. If we do not hear from you within 28 days we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Karen Morris". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Karen Morris
Information Governance Officer

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If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure at: The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF