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Date: 26th April 2022

Dear Sir/Madam

You asked:

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information:

For all the information below please could you provide data from between the dates 01/12/2021 to 25/03/2022, and could you please provide the figures for each individual month. An Excel form has been included for this information to be easily filed.

- 1) The monthly number of probable hospital-acquired Covid-19 infections (8-14 days after admission)
- 2) The monthly number of definite hospital-acquired Covid-19 infections (>14 days)
- 3) The monthly number of patients who died in hospital after acquiring a 'probable' hospital-acquired Covid-19 infection
- 4) The monthly number of patients who died in hospital after acquiring a 'definite' hospital-acquired Covid-19 infection

Please see the attached information.

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,

Sanjay Arya Medical Director

PLEASE NOTE:

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you should write to: Information Governance Department, Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust, Suite 9, Buckingham Row, Brick Kiln Lane, Wigan, WN1 1XX.

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision at:

The Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire, SK9 5AF

Helpline number: 0303 123 1113