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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 Freedom of Information Act.

You asked:

For each of the last three calendar years (2012, 2013, 2014), how many Do Not Resuscitate (DNR) orders have been placed on the medical notes of patients aged under 18? Please break this down by age for each year.

To aid understanding of my request, I have copied in a table to show what information I am looking for.

	Number of DNR orders given to patients aged under 18 by age							
	Less than one year olds	1-year-olds	2-year-olds	3	etc	15	16	17
2012								
2013								
2014								

The Trust has had no DNR orders on patients under 18 in the time frame specified.

I hope you find this information useful, however if you are not entirely satisfied with this response please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department on 01257 256335. 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,



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