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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 a) the calendar year 2013, and b) the calendar year 2014 so far,

a) the total number of visits to each A&E in your trust area, broken down by hospital (i.e. "HOSPITAL A: xxx visits, HOSPITAL B: yyy visits")

b) for each hospital and for each of the years, a list of the 10 people who have made the MOST visits in that year. I would like the following information about those people: whether they were male or female, their age at the time of their last visit. I do not want to know their name.

Please see attached.

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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