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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:

I would like to find out on how many occasions incorrect medication was given to patients from the trust. Could you please provide the number of times this occurred broken down by month and hospital for the last five years?

If possible, could I have the type of medicine prescribed and the type given for each occasion?

Please see the attached spreadsheet for the information that you request.

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,



Rob Forster
Deputy Chief Executive and Director of Finance and Informatics

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