

Ref FOI17 042
Date 2 February 2017

Dear Sir/Madam

Request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

Please find below/attached the Isle of Wight NHS Trust's response to your request.

How many attendances have there been at A&E by people suffering with mental health related issues (for example, categories including, psychiatric conditions, social problems, self-harm) throughout 2016.

Please give me the total number of attendances of people suffering with mental health related issues, at A&E for 2016.

Please then give the breakdown for 18 and over, and under 18s and state how many people waited longer than the four hour waiting target.

A&E Mental Health Related Attendances 2016 by Attendance Length and Age Group				
Age at Attendance by Group	Under 4 hours	Over 4 Hours	Total	
Under 18	121	11	132	
18+	1109	260	1369	
Grand Total	1230	271	1501	

There will be a proportion of erroneously categorised records as with all systems requiring manual input.

Diagnosis: one of Psychotic disorder, Personality disorder, Depressive disorder, Other Psychiatry,

Deliberate Self Harm, Anxiety state. OR Speciality Referred To: Is Equal to Psychiatry Team

The Isle of Wight NHS Trust came into existence on 1 April 2012 and does not hold information prior to this date. If you require information prior to this date, please contact the Department of Health.

Please note that this response does not constitute consent for direct marketing.

The Isle of Wight NHS Trust serves a resident population of 140,000 with a substantial influx of tourists during the summer months. The Trust provides acute, ambulance, community, maternity, mental health services on the Isle of Wight. As the only fully integrated service provider in England with this unique range of services comparisons with other service providers are not always straightforward.

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Information Commissioner
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
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Please do not hesitate to contact this office if you have any further questions.

Yours faithfully

Freedom of Information Team

