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I am responding to your request for information received 29 July 2021, which you clarified on 17 August 2021. I am sorry for the delay in responding to your request. This has been treated as a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I am now enclosing a response which is attached to the end of this letter. Please do not hesitate to contact me on the contact details above if you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely,

Keshia Harvey

Information Governance Manager

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If you are dissatisfied with the Trust's response to your FOIA request then you should contact us and we will arrange for an internal review of this decision.

If you remain dissatisfied with the decision following our response to your complaint, you may write to the Information Commissioner for a decision under Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

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

Tel: 0303 123 1113 Web: <u>www.ico.org.uk</u>

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Request:

Dear FOI team, I am writing with a Freedom of Information request regarding reimbursement for mental health inpatient services.

Please provide average reimbursement that you receive from the CCG or NHS England per day for the specialities that you provide in your trust for the financial year

2020-21,

2019-20.

2018-19.

Below is a list of possible specialities that you may provide:

- Forensic Medium Secure Units
- Forensic Low Secure Units
- Forensic Medium Secure Units for People with Learning Disability
- Forensic Low Secure Units for People with Learning Disability
- Psychiatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU)
- General adult mental health
- Rehabilitation and Recovery
- Neuropsychiatry
- · Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) speciality units
- General Learning Disability
- Complex Learning Disability (additional diagnosis such as autism)
- · Personality Disorder
- Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS) Tier 4 Eating Disorders
- Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS) Tier 4

Clarification: Hi FOI team,

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Apologies but I missed out on mentioning that I'm looking at this for out of area patients. The patients per year should be the number of out of area patients that have been referred to the trust in that year.

In terms of reimbursement I mean what the trust is being paid from a CCG or another trust which has placed the out of area patient, so essentially revenue

Answer: Section 1(1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 states:

Any person making a request for information to a public authority is entitled—

(a) to be informed in writing by the public authority whether it holds information of the description specified in the request, and (b) if that is the case, to have that information communicated to him.

The Trust does not hold information regarding income in detail of specialities provided. The block income received from Clinical Commissioning Groups covers inpatient, outpatients, estates, management and Trust overheads.

Section 21(1) of the FOI Act states:

(1)Information which is reasonably accessible to the applicant otherwise than under section 1 is exempt information.

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Information regarding the Trust's income is accessible in our Annual Reports, available here:

https://www.elft.nhs.uk/About-Us/Publications/Annual-Reports

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