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I am responding to your request for information received 5 January 2023. 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

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:

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Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
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Tel: 0303 123 1113
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Request:

Question 1: The number of individuals who have been referred to IAPT services, who have been flagged as having financial difficulties in their social and personal circumstances, by financial year, since 2010.

Answer: The Trust has reviewed question 1 of your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000.

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 them.*

East London NHS Foundation Trust does not record the information requested and is therefore unable to provide a response.

In order for the Trust to provide this information it would have to access patient records. We do not have a legal basis to access patient records in order to respond to a Freedom of Information Request. Therefore we are unable to provide a response.

Question 2: The total number of individuals who have been referred to IAPT services, by financial year, since 2010.

Answer: Please see table below of referral received by IAPT services when managed by the Trust:

Financial Year	Total
2010-2011	4153
2011-2012	5541
2012-2013	9849
2013-2014	11925
2014-2015	15714
2015-2016	25631
2016-2017	27450
2017-2018	28900
2018-2019*	33051
2019-2020	40543
2020-2021	43176
2021-2022	51827



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