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Our reference: FOI DA5426a

I am responding to your request for information received 2 July 2024. 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,

Information Rights Coordinator

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
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Wilmslow
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Request:

Question 1: Can I just clarify, does the numbers mean that you could have seen no patients in this cohort? Or from 1-4, as it states >5 [sic]?

Answer: The data provided in the previous response relates to the fact that between one and four patients were seen from each cohort in the localities listed in the original response.

The Trust is unable to state the actual figure as doing so could have the potential to identify the individuals. Therefore, we cannot provide this information which could contravene the Data Protection Act 2018 / UK GDPR.

Question 2: Also does this mean no patients in this cohort were seen in some of your boroughs?

Answer: To confirm, between one and four patients have been seen in each of the identified boroughs provided in the previous response.



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Original Request DA5426: I would like to make a request under the Freedom of Information Act. I would like to request the number of lesbian, gay, bisexual or trans young people, aged 16 & 17 that you have seen in your CAMHS service/s, in 2023.

I would appreciate a breakdown of individual boroughs and number of patients seen.

Answer: Please see table below:

Locality	Orientation	Number of patients
Bedford	Bisexual	<5*
Central Bedfordshire	Bisexual	<5*
Hackney	Bisexual	<5*
Hackney	Gay/Lesbian	<5*
Luton	Gay/Lesbian	<5*
Newham	Gay/Lesbian	<5*

This is based on data recorded on the Trust's clinical systems as at 11th June 2024 for contacts in 2023 (Jan -Dec).

This data is taken from when the service users are aged 16 and 17 at time of appointment.

*Please note: The information you have requested relates to less than five individuals and therefore has the potential for those individuals to be identified. Therefore, we cannot provide this information which could contravene the Data Protection Act 2018 / UK GDPR.



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