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I am responding to your request for information received 3 June 2025. 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:

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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Chief Executive Officer: Lorraine Sunduza

Chair: Eileen Taylor

Request:

I would like to submit an FOI request relating to information about patients presenting to Emergency Departments, or Accident and Emergency. The request is as follows:

I request that any data held for presentations to your Trust Emergency Department(s) where the reason for presentation has been due to a chainsaw-related incident. Please could you share data for the last 10 years for all presentations that are associated with use of a chainsaw.

Answer:

The Trust has reviewed 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 is primarily a Mental Health and Community Health Trust and as such does not have an Emergency Department. The Trust is therefore unable to provide a response.

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