

FOI 0355/2022 Response

** Clarification was sought from the Requester to confirm if they would like the Trust to answer the queries below independently from UHB. The Requester confirmed that they would like a response from Birmingham and Solihull Mental Health NHS Foundation (BSMHFT).

Background Information:

Birmingham and Solihull Mental Health NHS Foundation Trust provides a comprehensive mental healthcare service for residents of Birmingham and Solihull, and a range of specialist mental health services to communities across the West Midlands.

(I) Can you provide the last audit of the MHA at UHB? Or Birmingham and Solihull MHT To ensure compliance with MHA 1983

BSMHFT do not carry out one specific audit of the MHA as it is vast, however, we do audit elements as part of the Trust's internal assurance processes and the audits carried from 5th July 2021 include the following areas:

- Secure Care
- North Acute
- South Acute
- Steps to Recovery (S2R)
- Specialities
- Older Adults

For further details regarding this report, please see the attachment titled "MHA CTT Report 2021 Redacted"

Please note, that an exemption Section 40 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 has been applied to the MHA CTT Report. This therefore means that the Audit project lead's name has been redacted from the document, as we do not routinely release staff members personal information.

(II) When was the last audit undertaken?

Please refer to our response in question (I) and note that an annual consent to treatment audit which is a specific element of MHA, was undertaken on September 2021.

(III) CQC report on monitoring of the MHA 1983 for UHB and BSMHT

Please note that CQC do individual ward MHA visits at BSMHFT.

If you wish to view these reports, they are accessible on the CQC website as public documents.

(IV) Some detailed questions:

How many patients stayed as informal patients in the last 12 months?

Detained	Patients
Informal	553

UHB: How many patients were physically fit but were requested to remain with the institution? Without order in the last 12 months?

N/A BSMHFT would not hold this information – please redirect your query to UHB.

UHB and BSMHT: How many patients were issued with Section 5 (2) notice for assessment in the last 12 months?

BSMHFT have the following: 136

UHB and BSMHT: How many patients were issued with an assessment order Section 2 in the last 12 months?

BSMHFT have the following: New s2s 1003

Can you provide the demographic information that this relates to such as age banding/sex/ethnicity for the following information requested?

Please see below for the requested data pertaining to BSMHFT patients.

MHA Section	Category	Apr-2021	May-2021	Jun-2021	Jul-2021	Aug-2021	Sep-2021	Oct-2021	Nov-2021	Dec-2021	Jan-2022	Feb-2022	Mar-2022
2	0-25	10	9	6	11	12	9	8	8	8	11	16	12
	26-40	69	64	60	63	63	46	50	52	55	51	59	59
	41-65	50	53	58	38	42	62	56	50	52	49	51	43
	66+	15	16	18	24	21	19	23	19	17	14	23	25
	Total number of people under this section during the month	144	142	142	136	138	136	137	129	132	125	149	139

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2	Female	63	69	76	77	71	71	74	65	65	63	70	65
	Male	81	73	65	59	66	64	63	63	67	62	79	74
	Non binary			1		1	1		1				
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2	White British	63	75	68	61	65	61	65	58	53	45	59	52
	Asian	30	21	25	30	30	29	28	26	33	32	29	30
	Black	21	19	30	21	18	14	16	18	21	30	33	28
	Mixed	11	8	4	6	7	7	11	10	7	4	5	6
	Unknown	5	7	5	7	5	15	7	3	5	5	7	6
	White - Other	8	6	4	4	8	7	5	5	4	5	8	8
	Other	6	6	6	7	5	3	5	9	9	4	8	9
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