FOI 0547_2025 Response

Request

I am submitting a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. I would like to obtain data regarding the number of hospital admissions related to sunbed injuries. Specifically, I request the following information in whichever format is easiest to provide: SNOMED, ICD-11, or free text.

1. Sunbed Admissions (SNOMED)

The number of hospital admissions for patients presenting with sunbed-related injuries, classified under:

- 403588002 Addiction to sunbed use (disorder)
- 242537009 Exposure to man-made ultraviolet light (event)
- 466293001 Ultraviolet tanning device (physical object)

If possible, please also include:

- Age group (e.g.: under 18, 18-24, 25-34, 35-44, 45-54, 55-64, 65-74, 75-84, 85-94, 95-100, over 100)
- Gender of the patient
- Brief description of the reason for admission
- Treatment received for the injury
- 2. Sunbed Admissions (ICD-11)

The number of hospital admissions for patients presenting with sunbed injuries, categorised under:

- EJ41 Burn from exposure to artificial source of ultraviolet radiation
 - EJ41.0 Burn from exposure to therapeutic ultraviolet radiation
 - EJ41.Y Other specified burn from exposure to artificial source of ultraviolet radiation
 - o EJ41.Z Burn from exposure to artificial source of ultraviolet radiation, unspecified

If possible, please also include:

- Age group (as above)
- Gender of the patient
- Brief description of the reason for admission
- Treatment received for the injury
- 3. Sunbed Admissions (Free Text)

The number of hospital admissions for patients presenting with sunbed injuries, provided in free text format.

If possible, please also include:

- Age group (as above)
- Gender of the patient
- Brief description of the reason for admission
- Treatment received for the injury

Timeframe

For each month over the past five years (2019–2024), please provide the total number of individuals recorded.

Response

Please note that Birmingham and Solihull Mental Health Foundation Trust explicitly provide mental health services and do not provide physical healthcare like an Acute Trust.

Your request for information is therefore not applicable to the Trust.