

FOI 057 2025 Response

Request

Dear Birmingham and Solihull Mental Health NHS Foundation Trust Hospital FOI team,

I am writing under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request information relating to the diagnosis and treatment of hip fractures for patients presenting at your Accident & Emergency (A&E) department, broken down by year, for the past four calendar years (2021, 2022, 2023, 2024) up to and including 28 April 2025:

- The number of patients who presented at A&E with hip pain and were referred for:
 - o X-Ray
 - o MRI scan
- Of those who underwent an X-ray only, how many had negative or inconclusive results but were later diagnosed with a femoral neck or other hip fracture?

If the request exceeds the cost exemption, as per s12 of the 2000 Act, please advise me on how to amend my request accordingly.

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.