

Our reference: /FOI D9524

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Dear Joe,

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**RE: FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST - REF: D9524**

Please find our Trust's response in relation to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act.

**1) How many reports of incidents within the Trust involving physical or sexual violence by mental health patients against NHS staff were reported every year between 2014 and present, broken down by month, and;**

**2) Of that number, how many occurred within an a) inpatient or b) outpatient setting.**

This request is subject to an exemption in accordance with Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act – Information Accessible by Other Means. The information you have requested is already available on the GMMH Website at <https://www.gmmh.nhs.uk> under the search 'D9434' and 'D9441'.

I hope the information provided above is to your satisfaction. If you are unhappy with the way, the Trust has handled your request you may request an internal review.

If you require an internal review please write to Sarah McDonald, Head of IM&T Service Delivery, at the address above, who will arrange a review of your case.

If you are not happy with the outcome of the internal review you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely

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