

Information Governance

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Dear

Request for Information: Freedom of Information Act

Thank you for your 3 emails of 22 February, making a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act. You requested the following information and the Trust is able to provide the information below in response:

Request:

Please can you tell me the average annual cost of rehabilitation of patients coming off the long term use of addictive pain and anti-depressant medication.

Please could you tell me how many patients in the Oxfordshire area are currently taking addictive anti-depression medication and what is the financial cost of the medication to the trust.

Please can you tell me the number of patients in Oxfordshire currently taking pain medication that has addiction as a effect and what is the financial annual cost of providing this medication.

Response:

The Trust does not hold information relating to all of Oxfordshire and advises that Oxfordshire CCG may be able to answer this request. The FoIA contact details for Oxfordshire CCG can be found at the following URL:

<http://www.oxfordshireccg.nhs.uk/about-us/freedom-of-information.htm>

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you should write to me and I will ensure the decision is reviewed. The Trust will consider undertaking a review if requested to do so

within 40 working days of the date the response is received by the applicant, and will apply discretion if a longer period of time has passed.

Should you wish to make a complaint as a result of the outcome of such a review, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) for a decision.

Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided by the Trust for FoI Act matters.

The ICO can be contacted at:

The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF

Please contact me if there are any further queries.

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Mark Underwood

Head of Information Governance