

## Freedom of Information Request

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### Information Requested:

- 1) How many people have been treated in secondary care services in the trust with a diagnosis of Obsessive Compulsive Disorder (OCD) in the past 10 years?  
There have been 687 unique patients who have been treated in secondary care who have a diagnosis of OCD in the last 10 years (1<sup>st</sup> May 2012 to 21<sup>st</sup> June 2022)
- 2) How many people have been treated in secondary care services in the trust with a diagnosis of Body Dysmorphic Disorder (BDD) in the past 10 years?  
There have been 202 unique patients who have been treated in secondary care who have a diagnosis of BDD in the last 10 years (1<sup>st</sup> May 2012 to 21<sup>st</sup> June 2022)
- 3) How many people with a diagnosis of Obsessive Compulsive Disorder (OCD) have been referred to tertiary specialist services for treatment in the past 10 years?  
The Trust does not keep the data log on the tertiary referrals. This would require manual troll of the referrals and the decisions made by the tertiary review panel. It is likely that the commissioners have the details of the patients funded for treatment at tertiary centres.
- 4) How many people with a diagnosis of Body Dysmorphic Disorder (BDD) have been referred to tertiary specialist services for treatment in the past 10 years?  
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### Section 12 (Exemption where cost of compliance exceeds appropriate limit):

- (1) Section 1(1) does not oblige a public authority to comply with a request for information if the authority estimates that the cost of complying with the request would exceed the appropriate limit.
- (2) Subsection (1) does not exempt the public authority from its obligation to comply with paragraph (a) of section 1(1) unless the estimated cost of complying with that paragraph alone would exceed the appropriate limit.
- (3) In subsections (1) and (2) “the appropriate limit” means such amount as may be prescribed, and different amounts may be prescribed in relation to different cases.
- (4) The Secretary of State may by regulations provide that, in such circumstances as may be prescribed, where two or more requests for information are made to a public authority—
  - (a) by one person, or

(b) by different persons who appear to the public authority to be acting in concert or in pursuance of a campaign, the estimated cost of complying with any of the requests is to be taken to be the estimated total cost of complying with all of them.

(5) The Secretary of State may by regulations make provision for the purposes of this section as to the costs to be estimated and as to the manner in which they are to be estimated

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