

02 July 2018

**Our Ref:** RFI 23850

Dear

**Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Re: Information in relation to people attending A&E for sunburn/sun-related complaints in the last month.**

I am writing to confirm that the South Eastern Health & Social Care Trust (the Trust) has now completed its search for information relating to the above which you requested on 11 June 2018.

A response to each of the questions raised has been provided by the Planning, Performance & Informatics Directorate.

You will note that the numbers have been masked and this is due to small numbers within a small geographical area.

***I was wondering if you had any figures for the amount of people attending A&E for sunburn/sun-related complaints in SE Trust in the last month please?***

<b>Emergency Department Attendances at Ulster, Lagan Valley &amp; Downe and Minor Injuries Attendances at Ards and Bangor for Sun Burn, Sun Stroke or Heat Stroke (01/05/2018 – 31/05/2018)</b>	
<b>Department Name</b>	<b>New and Unplanned Attendances</b>
Ards Minor Injury Unit	<10
Bangor Minor Injury Unit	<10
Downe Hospital	<10
Ulster Hospital	<10
Lagan Valley	0

If you are unhappy as to how this request has been handled, you have the right to seek a review within the Trust in the first instance. You should write to the Information Governance Department, Lough House, Ards Community Hospital ([informationgovernance@setrust.hscni.net](mailto:informationgovernance@setrust.hscni.net)) within two months of the date of this response and your complaint will be considered and a response provided, within 20 working days of receipt.

If, after receiving a response, you remain unhappy, you can refer your complaint to the Information Commissioner at The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe

House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. It is important to note that if you refer any matter to the Information Commissioner, you will need to show evidence of having gone through the Trust's internal review procedure to try to resolve the matter with the Trust in the first instance.

If you have any queries about this letter, please do not hesitate to contact me. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

Yours sincerely

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