

25 March 2022

**Our Ref:** RFI 43012

Dear

**Freedom of Information Act 2000  
Information in relation to SAI and Adult Safeguarding Investigation carried  
out by the Trust from 2018 to 2022**

I am writing to confirm that the South Eastern Health & Social Care Trust (the Trust) has now completed its search for information relating to above which you requested on 9 February 2022.

A response to each of the questions raised has been provided by the Nursing, Primary Care & Older People Directorate and is attached in Appendix A.

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 –Northern Ireland, 3rd Floor, 14 Cromac Place, Belfast, BT7 2JB. 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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**Rebecca Manning**  
**Information Governance Assistant**

**Q1. The number of individual Serious Adverse Incident (SAI's) investigation carried out by the South Eastern Trust per month from:**

- **1st April 2017 to 31st March 2018**
- **1st April 2018 to 31st March 2019**
- **1st April 2019 to 31st March 2020**
- **1st April 2020 to 31st March 2021**
- **1st April 2021 to 31st January 2022**

**Q2. The number of individual Adult Safeguarding Investigations (ASI) carried out by the South Eastern Trust per month from:**

- **1st April 2017 to 31st March 2018**
- **1st April 2018 to 31st March 2019**
- **1st April 2019 to 31st March 2020**
- **1st April 2020 to 31st March 2021**
- **1st April 2021 to 31st January 2022**

A1-2. Please see Attachment 1 - Trust SAI and Adult Safeguarding Investigations April 2017 to January 2022.