

FOI_0413_21/22 – FOI request concerning – Deaths from Covid-19

Question 1, 2, 3 and 4 are to be broken down for the following period of 1st January 2020 to 15th May 2021. Question 5 is for calendar year of 1st January to 31st December Inclusive.

1. I would like the exact mortality figure please, where no other cause of death apart from Covid-19 (SARS-CoV-2) was detailed on the medical certificate of cause of death by the Doctor?

The information being requested is not centrally recorded by the Trust and would require a manual trawl of our records. As a result of this, this part of your FOI Request is being exempt under S12 of the FOI Act 2000 and therefore we are unable to provide this information.

- 2. It would be also appreciated if you could break the above figures down into the relevant age groups?
 - a) Age 1 to 16
 - b) Age 17 to 35
 - c) Age 36 to 70
 - d) Age 70 to 80
 - e) Age 80+

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3. Within your hospitals, how many mortalities for the aforementioned time period had other causes and Covid-19 (SARS-CoV-2) recorded on their death certificate?

Data below is reported in financial years:

Year	Number of Deaths
2019/20	12
2020/21	16

Data provided for inpatients only.

4. What is the current total figure you issue in your press releases for deaths from Covid-19 (SARS-CoV-2) within your hospitals?

14 (at the time of publication)



5. Deaths from winter flu (not SARS-CoV-2) for the calendar years of 2017, 2018, 2019 and 2020

Data not held – we do not record the cause of death. This is determined by the coroner after the patient has died.