

FOI_1183_2023-24 – FOI Request Concerning – Various Requests

ECT

Please be advised, with regards to the questions below, relating to ECT; Solent NHS Trust does not provide ECT treatment and therefore the questions below are not applicable

1. **Please supply patient's information ECT leaflet.**
2. **Please supply patient ECT consent form**
3. **Please supply any ECT reports/investigations**
4. **How many ECT in 2022?**
5. **What proportion of patients were men/women?**
6. **How old were they?**
7. **What proportion of patients were classified people of the global majority or racialised communities ("POC / BAME")?**
8. **How many were receiving ECT for the first time?**
9. **How many patients consented to ECT?**
10. **How many ECT complaints were investigated outside the NHS and CCG?**
11. **How many patients died during or 1 month after ECT and what was the cause (whether or not ECT was considered the cause)?**
12. **How many patients died within 6 months after ECT and what was the cause (whether or not ECT was considered the cause)?**
13. **How many patients died by suicide within 6 months of receiving ECT (whether or not ECT was considered the cause)?**
14. **How many patients have suffered complications during and after ECT and what were those complications?**
15. **Have there been any formal complaints from patients/relatives about ECT?**
16. **If so, what was their concerns?**
17. **How many patients report memory loss/loss of cognitive function?**
18. **What tests are used to assess memory loss/loss of cognitive function?**
19. **Have MRI or CT scans been used before and after ECT?**
20. **If so, what was the conclusion?**
21. **How does the Trust plan to prevent ECT in the future?**

Serious Incidents

22. **Please supply any serious incident reports/investigations?**

Please be advised that it would be disproportionate to supply all SI Reports; all reports would need to be reviewed for personally identifiable data and therefore would exceed the time allocated to respond to a request. Therefore, this part of the request is exempt under S12 of the FOI Act 2000

23. **How many serious incident reports, in 2022?**

16

24. **What proportion of patients were men/women?**

This information is not recorded by the Trust, within our serious Incident Reporting process.



25. How old were they?

This information is not recorded by the Trust, within our serious Incident Reporting process.

26. What proportion of patients were classified people of the global majority or racialised communities ("POC / BAME")?

This information is not recorded by the Trust, within our Serious Incident Reporting process

27. How many serious incident reports, were investigated outside the NHS and CCG?

All Serious Incidents are investigated by the Trust

28. How many patients died during or 1 month after serious incident reports, and what was the cause (whether or not serious incident reports, was considered the cause)?

This information is not recorded within our serious incident reporting process and would require a manual trawl of patient medical records. This is therefore exempt under Section 12 of the FOI Act 2000.

29. How many patients died within 6 months after serious incident reports, and what was the cause (whether or not serious incident reports, was considered the cause)?

This information is not recorded within our serious incident reporting process and would require a manual trawl of patient medical records. This is therefore exempt under Section 12 of the FOI Act 2000.

30. How many patients died by suicide within 6 months of receiving serious incident reports, (whether or not serious incident reports, was considered the cause)?

This information is not recorded within our serious incident reporting process and would require a manual trawl of patient medical records. This is therefore exempt under Section 12 of the FOI Act 2000.

31. How many patients have suffered complications during and after serious incident reports, and what were those complications?

This information is not recorded within our serious incident reporting process and would require a manual trawl of patient medical records. This is therefore exempt under Section 12 of the FOI Act 2000.

32. Have there been any formal complaints from patients/relatives about serious incident reports, If so, what was their concerns?

No complaints were reported from patients/relatives which related serious incident reports during the year 2022.

33. How does the Trust plan to prevent serious incidents in the future?

The Trust uses all Serious Incident Reports to identify areas where lessons can be learned, and improvements made to the care and services provided to our patients. The learning and actions from the reports are shared internally across the Trust and with the relevant Clinical Commissioning Groups

Restraints

34. Please supply any restraints /investigations?

Please be advised that it would be disproportionate to supply all SI Reports; all reports would need to be reviewed for personally identifiable data and therefore would exceed the time allocated to respond to a request. Therefore, this part of the request is exempt under S12 of the FOI Act 2000

35. How many restraints in 2022?

There were 293 incidents in 2022 where restraint was used

36. What proportion of patients were men/women?

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37. How old were they?

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38. What proportion of patients were classified people of the global majority or racialised communities ("POC / BAME")?

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39. How many restraints were investigated outside the NHS and CCG?

We don't capture this information and therefore this question is not applicable

40. How many patients died during or 1 month after restraints and what was the cause (whether or not restraints was considered the cause)?

This information is not recorded centrally and would require a manual trawl of patient medical records. This is therefore exempt under Section 12 of the FOI Act 2000

41. How many patients died within 6 months after restraints and what was the cause (whether or not restraints was considered the cause)?

This information is not recorded centrally and would require a manual trawl of patient medical records. This is therefore exempt under Section 12 of the FOI Act 2000

42. How many patients died by suicide within 6 months of receiving restraints (whether or not restraints was considered the cause)?

This information is not recorded centrally and would require a manual trawl of patient medical records. This is therefore exempt under Section 12 of the FOI Act 2000.

43. How many patients have suffered complications during and after restraints and what were those complications?

This information is not recorded centrally and would require a manual trawl of patient medical records. This is therefore exempt under Section 12 of the FOI Act 2000

44. Have there been any formal complaints from patients/relatives about restraints?

1 complaint was recorded from patients/relatives about restraint during the year 2022

45. If so, what was their concerns?

The concerns related to how the patient was handled during the restraint

46. Are counts of forced injections available?

N/A

47. How does the Trust plan to reduce restraints in the future?

The Trust completes a monthly restraint and seclusion report which is discussed within the organisation. There is a use of the safety cross on Maple Ward where we also collect this data which can be seen at a glance. Trends are identified and as a team, we were together to make changes to improve practice. We are currently part of the mental health improvement program and are working on reducing restrictive practices. Policies are also being reviewed so they coincide with the Use of Force Act.

Seclusion

48. Please supply any seclusion reports/investigations

Please be advised that it would be disproportionate to supply all SI Reports; all reports would need to be reviewed for personally identifiable data and therefore would exceed the time allocated to respond to a request. Therefore, this part of the request is exempt under S12 of the FOI Act 2000

49. How many seclusion in 2022?

There were 51 incidents where seclusion was used in 2022

50. What proportion of patients were men/women?

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51. How old were they?

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52. What proportion of patients were classified people of the global majority or racialised communities ("POC / BAME")?

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53. How many seclusion were investigated outside the NHS and CCG?

We don't capture this information and therefore this question is not applicable

54. How many patients died during or 1 month after seclusion and what was the cause (whether or not seclusion was considered the cause)?

This information is not recorded centrally and would require a manual trawl of patient medical records. This is therefore exempt under Section 12 of the FOI Act 2000

55. How many patients died within 6 months after seclusion and what was the cause (whether or not seclusion was considered the cause)?

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56. How many patients died by suicide within 6 months of receiving seclusion (whether or not seclusion was considered the cause)?

This information is not recorded centrally and would require a manual trawl of patient medical records. This is therefore exempt under Section 12 of the FOI Act 2000

57. How many patients have suffered complications during and after seclusion and what were those complications?

This information is not recorded centrally and would require a manual trawl of patient medical records. This is therefore exempt under Section 12 of the FOI Act 2000

58. Have there been any formal complaints from patients/relatives about seclusion?

This information is not recorded as we currently don't have a category/theme for 'seclusion' this would mean a manual trawl into all Mental Health complaints received during 2022. This is therefore exempt under Section 12 of the FOI Act 2000

59. If so, what was their concerns?

N/A

60. How does the Trust plan to reduce seclusion in the future?

We are working with teams to ensure that the least restrictive practice is currently being considered with regard to seclusion and other interventions that can be used before seclusion

Medication Errors

61. How many medication errors in 2022?

There were 979 medication incidents in 2022

62. What proportion of patients were men/women?

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63. How old were they?

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64. What proportion of patients were classified people of the global majority or racialised communities ("POC / BAME")?

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65. How many medication errors were investigated outside the NHS and CCG?

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66. How many patients died during or 1 month after medication errors and what was the cause (whether or not medication errors was considered the cause)?

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67. How many patients died within 6 months after medication errors and what was the cause (whether or not medication errors was considered the cause)?

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68. How many patients died by suicide within 6 months of receiving medication errors (whether or not medication errors was considered the cause)?

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69. How many patients have suffered complications during and after medication errors and what were those complications?

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70. Have there been any formal complaints from patients/relatives about medication errors

2 Complaints were received relating to medication errors from patients/relatives about medication errors during 2022.

71. If so, what was their concerns?

1 related to an incorrect dose and one related to the vaccine give to an elderly gentleman whose family were concerned due to his capacity to consent.

72. How does the Trust plan to prevent medication errors in the future?

The Trust always seeks to learn from incidents and improve practice as a result, this is pursued and actioned through our Medicines Safety Group, Medicines Management Group and the Quality Improvement and Risk Committee. Solent NHS Trust has implemented an electronic prescribing system across inpatient areas to contribute to the improvement of medicine's safety which has already resulted in a reduction in medication safety incidents. We will continue to monitor this trend and take appropriate actions from any learning identified as we roll out electronic prescribing across additional areas of the organisation.