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Re: Freedom of Information Request

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Original Request and Response

1. What is the combined number of primary care referrals that you received for the period of 1 May 2021 – 30 April 2022 for all services provided by your Trust?

Response: 31,367

2. What is the combined number of rejected primary care referrals for the period of 1 May 2021 - 30 April 2022 for all services provided by your Trust?

Response: 411

3. What is the combined number of primary care referrals that you received for the period of 1 May 2020 – 30 April 2021 for all services provided by your Trust?

Response: 26,623

4. What is the combined number of rejected primary care referrals for the period of 1 May 2020 – 30 April 2021 for all services provided by your Trust?

Response: 82

By rejected referrals I mean all primary care referrals that were returned to the referrer. And by primary care referrals I mean all referrals coming from GP practices.

If you are not satisfied that your Freedom of Information request has been dealt with in an adequate manner, you have the right to request a review, requiring us to review our action and response. To request a review of this response, please contact the FOI Officer, Wirral Community Health and Care NHS Foundation Trust, St Catherine's Health Centre, Derby Road, Birkenhead, Wirral, CH42 0LQ or email: WCNT.foi@nhs.net. You will receive a full response to your request for review within 20 working days of its receipt.

If you are unhappy with the way we have handled your request for review, you may ask the Information Commissioner to review our decision: The Information Commissioner, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF, Telephone: 01625 545700.