

## Freedom of Information Request

**Reference Number:** EPUT.FOI.23.2873  
**Date Received:** 14th of March 2023

**Information Requested:**

1. Please can you tell me how many people died while under tier 4 CAMHS' care in 2021/22.  
Please note that the trust's policy is not to provide patient or staff numbers, where the response is less than or equal to five ( $\leq 5$ ) as it would potentially allow identification of the individual patient/staff and would therefore be personal data. The trust considers that release of that information would breach GDPR/DPA18 principles on the grounds that it would not be fair in all the circumstances. This information is therefore exempt under section 40 of the FOI Act 2000.

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2. Please can you also tell me how many people died within a year of leaving tier 4 CAMHS care in 2021/22?  
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3. Please also provide the same figures (deaths in CAMHS and within a year of leaving) for 2019/20, 2020/21 and 2022/23.  
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Year	Died in T4 CAMHS Care	Died within 1 year of discharge from T4 CAMHS Care
2019/20	$\leq 5$	$\leq 5$
2020/21	0	$\leq 5$
2021/22	$\leq 5$	$\leq 5$
2022/23*	0	$\leq 5$

\*Apr 2022-Feb 2023

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