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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000 - Request for Information Reference:

Emergency Admissions and Ambulance Arrivals for Over-65s

I am writing in response to your request for information under the FOI 2000.

I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that we do hold the information you have requested. A response to each part of your request is provided below. Please accept our sincere apologies for the delay.

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FOI Request / Question	Question Response				Is there an exemption?	Exemption	Exemption Details
1. The total number of emergency hospital admissions for people aged 65 and over, broken down by year (2022, 2023, and 2024 where	2022 – 18,996 2023 – 19,360 2024 – 19,115						
available). 2. The total number of these emergency admissions that involved the patient arriving via ambulance, broken down by year (2022, 2023, and 2024 where available).	2022 - 12,915 2023 - 13,135 2024 - 12,940						
3. The number of emergency admissions for people aged 65 and over that were explicitly recorded as relating to falls, fractures, or other household-related accidents, broken down by specific cause or item	Presenting Complaint	2022	2023	2024			
	Fall Fracture Hip Injury	3,031 72 106	2,968 81 89	2,709 64 74			
involved (e.g., fall from stairs, fall in the bathroom, etc.). If possible, please also provide the average or median length	Location Bedroom Garden	2022 3 1	2023 0 0	2024 1 0	_		

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of hospital stay for these admissions.	Living room	0	1	0	
	Stairway	1	0	0	
	Street Location	1	0	0	
	(blank)	3,203	3,137	2,846	
	Arrival Year	Average LOS			
	2022	13.04			
	2023	13.39			
	2024	12.60			

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I trust this information answers your request. Should you have any further enquiries or queries about this response please do not hesitate to contact me. However, if you are unhappy with the way in which your request has been handled, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to: Sally Brook Shanahan, Director of Corporate Affairs, King's Mill Hospital, Mansfield Road, Sutton in Ashfield, Nottinghamshire, NG17 4JL or email sally.brookshanahan@nhs.net.

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of the internal review, you can apply to the Information Commissioner's Office, who will consider whether we have complied with our obligations under the Act and can require us to remedy any problems. Generally, the Information Commissioner's Office cannot decide unless you have exhausted the internal review procedure. You can find out more about how to do this, and about the Act in general, on the Information Commissioner's Office website at: https://ico.org.uk/your-data-matters/official-information/.

Complaints to the Information Commissioner's Office should be sent to FOI/EIR Complaints Resolution, Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. Telephone 0303 1231113, email casework@ico.org.uk.

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Yours faithfully

Information Governance Team

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