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Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 18 July 2018.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

1. What is your paediatric inpatient occupancy, on your units (0-18yrs)?

22 Inpatient beds including 4 HDU
6 escalation beds

2. How many of these would fit into the definition above?

On 27/7/18 we have 2 children who are inpatients and meet this category

3. How many long stay (>30days) paediatric patients do you have?

On 27/7/18 - Nil

4. How many of these patients are medically fit to be discharged?

N/A

5. Amongst your long stay paediatric population, are there any non-medical barriers to discharge? If so what are the common reasons e.g. housing, care provider allocation, training or social care support?

Housing has been an issue for 1 family, suitable carer provision, use of continuing care packages can delay discharge

6. Who coordinates discharge planning for "CMiC" patients and how are they set up to do this e.g. specialist paediatric discharge nurse, CNS, adult discharge teams, support workers?

Ward Named Nurse for that child, in conjunction with ward MDT- we do not have specialist discharge nurses/support workers

7. Do you have any links with charities when doing this work e.g. charity funded nursing positions, collaboration with charity workers?

NIL

8. Do you have specific paperwork for long stay “CMiC” patients e.g. hospital passports, patient held records, advanced care plans?

Yes we have a mixture of documentation including Parent held records, Advanced Care Plans – we are exploring again the use of Hospital Passports

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Yours sincerely,

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