



Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 14 April 2021.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

1. Total number of recorded Influenza deaths for the period 01/01/2018 – 31/12/2018.

Date of Report: 08/04/2021 Milton Keynes University Hospital NHS Foundation Itest				
FOI 5738 - Deaths from Influenza				
Question	Notes/Comments	2018	2019	2020
1. Total number of recorded Influenza deaths for the period 01/01/2018 – 31/12/2018.				
2. Total number of recorded Influenza deaths for the period 01/01/2019 – 31/12/2019.	The Trust has not reported any deaths from Influenza within the time periods specified in the request.	0	0	0
3. Total number of recorded Influenza deaths for the period 01/01/2020 – 31/12/2020.				

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As above

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4. Total number of deaths from Covid-19 (where Covid-19 is the only cause of death reported) for the period 01/01/2020 – 31/12/2020.

The Trust records COVID-19 deaths as per the national guidance. The figure, and a description of the definition we are using, is published daily and can be found via the link below: https://www.england.nhs.uk/statistics/statistical-work-areas/covid-19-daily-deaths/ The link to the Trust level data is available in the daily spreadsheet in the section titled 'COVID-19 all announced deaths'. We have also received advice from NHS England who have provided the link below: https://coronavirus.data.gov.uk/details/deaths Please note that we are providing these links under Section 21 of the FOI Act – 'Information reasonably accessible to the applicant via other means'. To get the figures in the way in which you are seeking would entail a trawl of patient medical records and we exempt this under Section 40 "Personal Data"

As a teaching hospital, we conduct education and research to improve healthcare for our patients. During your visit students may be involved in your care, or you may be asked to participate in a clinical trial. Please speak to your doctor or nurse if you have any concerns.

5. Total number of deaths with Covid-19 (where Covid-19 is not the only cause of death reported but where other co-morbidities are mentioned) for the period 01/01/2020 – 31/12/2020.

As above

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If you need any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us at the address above.

Yours sincerely,

Freedom of Information Co-ordinator For and on behalf of Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

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