

Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 29 October 2021.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

- 1. The total number of physical assaults against NHS staff from members of the public and patients that occurred during 2019, 2020 and 2021.**
2019/2020 is 256 (patient 245 - visitor 11)
2020/2021 is 197 (patient 183 - visitor 14)
- 2. The total number of verbal assaults against NHS staff from members of the public and patients that occurred during 2019, 2020 and 2021.**
2019/2020 is 214 (Patient 170-visitor 44)
2020/2021 is 176 (Patient 138-visitor 14)
- 3. Can you provide any more detail surrounding the nature of these incidents? See breakdown in above responses**
Unable to provide further breakdown.

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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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