

Date of Report: 18/10/2024

FOI-593 Admissions & Safeguarding

Questions	Notes/Comments	Response	
		Year	Admissions
<p>Please can you give the following information for the following years 2021, 2022, 2023 and if possible so far 2024.</p> <p>1. How many people over the age of 65 were admitted to your hospital(s) as an unplanned (emergency) admissions who were usually resident in a care home or a nursing home. Please break down by years and if possible whether it was a care home or a nursing home.</p>	<p>Provided are the number of admissions of patients aged 65 years and above and were admitted to Milton Keynes University Hospital between 1st of January 2021 and 30th of September 2024, as emergency admission, with usual residence recorded under carehome postcodes.</p> <p>We are unable to distinguish between care home or nursing home. Please note that a patient will be counted more than once if they had multiple admissions during the year.</p>	2021	776
		2022	802
		2023	777
		2024	689
<p>2a. Of those people from Q1 how many safeguarding reports were made about concerns around the patients welfare? ie abuse or neglect? Please breakdown by years and if possible breakdown the type of safeguarding referral by category ie abuse, neglect.</p>	<p>Provided are the number of admissions from Q1 who were recorded with safeguarding issues in their hospital record.</p>	2021	5
		2022	8
		2023	12
		2024	4
<p>2b. Of those people from Q1 how many were recorded as either malnourished or dehydrated. (not necessarily their primary reason for being admitted). Please break down by years and if possible whether they were malnourished or dehydrated or both.</p>	<p>Provided are the number of admissions from Q1 who were recorded as either malnourished or dehydrated (identified using ICD10 codes found below), assigned to their inpatient spell in any order. Please note that no patients were recorded as Dehydrated. The patients were recorded as Malnourished.</p>	2021	103
		2022	109
		2023	85
		2024	74
<p>3. Of those people from Q2 how many were recorded as being admitted due to being malnourished or dehydrated (their primary reason for being admitted). Please break down by years and if possible whether they were malnourished or dehydrated or both.</p>	<p>Provided are the number of admissions from Q2 who were recorded as being admitted with a primary diagnosis of malnourishment or dehydrated (identified using ICD10 codes found below).</p>	2021	0
		2022	0
		2023	0
		2024	0
<p>4. Of those people from Q2 (recorded as dehydrated or malnourished) how many safeguarding concerns were made about the patient? Please break down by years.</p>	<p>Provided are the number of admissions from Q2 who were recorded as being admitted with a diagnosis of malnourishment or dehydrated (identified using ICD10 codes found below), assigned to their inpatient spell in any order.</p>	2021	0
		2022	1
		2023	1
		2024	0

ICD10 Codes	
Code	Description
Abuse/neglect	
T730	Effects of hunger
X531	Lack of food: Residential institution
Followed By	
T731	Effects of thirst
X541	Lack of water: Residential institution
T740	Neglect or abandonment
T741	Physical abuse
T742	Sexual abuse
T743	Psychological abuse
T748	Other maltreatment syndromes
T749	Maltreatment syndrome, unspecified
Followed By	
Y073	Other maltreatment: By official authorities
Y078	Other maltreatment: By other specified persons
Y079	Other maltreatment: By unspecified person
Malnourishment	
T74.8	Malnutrition due to neglect or lack of care
E40X	Kwashiorkor
E41X	Nutritional marasmus
E42X	Marasmic kwashiorkor
E43X	Unspecified severe protein-energy malnutrition
E440	Moderate protein-energy malnutrition
E441	Mild protein-energy malnutrition
E45X	Retarded development following protein-energy malnutrition
E46X	Unspecified protein-energy malnutrition
Dehydration	
E86X	Volume depletion