

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION RESPONSE

FOI 2456

HEAD INJURIES

* How many patients have been treated at your Trust's hospital(s) for head injuries directly associated with sporting incidents. [See below](#)

* Specific detail on the severity/nature of each head injury, the sport which caused it (where recorded) and the outcome. [Severity is below. We do not record the sport in which the injury was caused.](#)

This request relates to the following time period:

* Each year for the last five years.

Number of patients attending ED for a sports related head injury

FinancialYear	Total
2009/10	412
2010/11	390
2011/12	460
2012/13	430
2013/14	412

Outcome of attendance

Financial Year

Attendance Disposal	2009/10	2010/11	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14
Admitted	10	8	11	14	20
Discharged F/U with GP	256	205	237	230	32
Discharged No F/U	95	143	147	136	299
Left Dept before treatment		*		*	*
Left Dept having refused treatment					*
Other			*		*
Referred to A&E Clinic	5	5	5	*	8
Referred to Fracture Clinic	*	*	*	5	*
Referred to Other Health Care Professional	9	*	7	7	7
Referred to Other OP Clinic	24	20	39	25	33
Transferred to Other Health Care Provider	11	*	10	8	*
Grand Total	*	390	460	430	412

* numbers under 5 or disclosure of the number inadvertently disclose a number under 5.

Severity of injury

Financial Year	Major	Minor	Total
2009/10	*	*	*
2010/11	83	307	390
2011/12	93	367	460
2012/13	98	332	430
2013/14	93	319	412