



FREEDOM OF INFORMATION RESPONSE

FOI 2370

READMISSIONS

Could you please provide me with the figures of the number of false discharges (that is, discharges and re-admissions) that have occurred over the last 5 years (from 2009 - 2014) at Worcester Royal Hospital? Also, if possible, could you split this into wards? We are unable to split the data into wards. Please note that the activity for 2014/15 is part year. We have split the data into emergency and elective.

Readmitted within 7 days

Readmission Rate (%): Number of readmissions in the financial year / Number of Discharges during the financial year

Activity Period Apr 2010 to Dec 2014

Year	Discharge - Elec	Readmit - Elec	Discharge - Emer	Readmit - Emer	Readmit rate - Elec	Readmit Rate - Emer
2010/11	53135	49	58276	393	0.09%	0.7%
2011/12	56438	233	56843	1944	0.41%	3.4%
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2012/13	62410	184	59754	2141	0.29%	3.6%	
2013/14	69870	212	58645	1987	0.30%	3.4%	
2014/15	57045	179	43224	1686	0.31%	3.9%	
Grand Total	298898	857	276742	8151	0.29%	2.9%	

Readmitted within 30 days

Readmission Rate (%): Number of readmissions during the financial year/ Number of Discharges during the financial year

Activity Period Apr 2010 to Dec 2014

Year	Discharge - Elec	Readmit - Elec	Discharge - Emer	Readmit - Emer	Readmit rate - Elec	Readmit Rate - Emer
2010/11	53135	99	58276	842	0.19%	1.4%
2011/12	56438	510	56843	4472	0.90%	7.9%
2012/13	62410	438	59754	4899	0.70%	8.2%
2013/14	69870	503	58645	4663	0.72%	8.0%
2014/15	57045	365	43224	3756	0.64%	8.7%

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	SMOKEFREE			Acute Hospitals NHS Trust			
Grand Total	298898	1915	276742	18632	0.64%	6.7%	

As well as this, could you provide any predicted figures or targets that would indicate the potential effectiveness of the new care plan being implemented to ease with the hospital pressure (such as percentage decreases in number of false discharges/false and re-admissions estimated for the next 5 years)? We are unable to provide this information as we do not collect it.

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