

## **FREEDOM OF INFORMATION RESPONSE**

**FOI 3447**

### **Antibiotic resistant bacterial infections**

---

- Cases of antibiotic resistant bacterial infections in the hospital from 2010 onward, by calendar year.

We are unable to process your request within 18 hours which is the time allowed for the completion of FOI requests. I am sorry that I have been unable to alert you to this before this time but we did not realise the tremendous amount of data involved and the fact that we cannot identify patients who have died. I am therefore using an exemption under section 12 (cost) of the FOI Act.