

Freedom of Information Act 2000 disclosure log entry

Reference

17-18207

Date sent

30/10/2017

Subject

Serious Incident Management 2014/15 to 2016/17

Details of enquiry

1. Following the changes to NHS Protect in April 2017 do you still hve access to an accredited local-security management specialist?
 - a. If yes, are they directly employed or support access as part of a contract
2. Please provide in the table below, information about aggression and violence incidents for the financial years April 2014-March 2015, April 2015-March 2016, April 2016-March 2017. Please note all non-physical assaults would include all incidents of aggression and violence that did not result in physical contact ie verbal, racial abuse etc.
3. For the physical assault numbers above, please break down by the actual impact recorded for each incident in the table below. If your grading of actual impact is different to that defined below, please match to the nearest descriptor from your risk management system.
4. For the physical assaults number above, please indicate in the table below how many incidents were classified as serious and investigated in line with the NHS England Serious Incident Framework
5. For the physical assaults numbers detailed in table 2, please break down the number in the table below by the staff group.

Response Sent

1. Following the changes to NHS Protect in April 2017 do you still have access to an accredited local security management specialist?

Yes

 - a. If yes, are they directly employed or support accessed as part of a contract?

Directly employed
 - ~~b. If no, how is your board assured of maintaining security standards?~~

2. Please provide in the table below information about aggression and violence incidents for the financial years April 2014 – March 2015, April 2015 – March 2016, April 2016 – March 2017. Please note all non-physical assaults would include all incidents of aggression and violence that did not result in physical contact i.e. verbal, racial abuse etc.

a	b	c	d	e	f
Year	Total number of incidents reported in each year in your risk management system	Physical Assault as per NHS Protect definition and as would have been provided in previous annual submission	Non-Physical Assault	Total Aggression and Violence Incidents = sum of column c & d	% of aggression and violence incidents in relation to total number of incidents = column e divided by column b x 100
April 2014 – March 2015	401	43	21		15%
April 2015 – March 2016	403	62	1		15%
April 2016 – March 2017	447	166	178		39%

3. For the physical assault numbers above please break down by the actual impact recorded for each incident in the table below. If your grading of actual impact is different to that defined below, please match to the nearest descriptor from your risk management system.

Year	Physical Assault Actual Impact	
April 2014 – March 2015	No Harm	
	Low Harm	✓ 43
	Moderate Harm	
	Severe Harm	
	Catastrophic Harm	
	Total	
April 2015 – March 2016	No Harm	
	Low Harm	✓ 62
	Moderate Harm	
	Severe Harm	
	Catastrophic Harm	
	Total	
April 2016 – March 2017	No Harm	
	Low Harm	✓ 166
	Moderate Harm	
	Severe Harm	
	Catastrophic Harm	
	Total	

4. For the physical assaults number above, please indicate in the table below how many incidents were classified as serious and investigated in line with the NHS England Serious Incident Framework.

Year	Physical Assault - Serious Incidents
April 2014 – March 2015	0
April 2015 – March 2016	0
April 2016 – March 2017	0

All these incidents were committed by children under 12 years of age with emotional behaviour difficulties and within our special school.

5. For the physical assaults numbers detailed in table 2, please break down the number in the table below by the staff group.

Year	Staff Group	
April 2014 – March 2015	Healthcare assistants and other support staff	Not applicable, see response to question 4
	Nursing, Midwifery and Health Visiting staff	Not applicable, see response to question 4
	Nursing Midwifery and Health Visiting learners	Not applicable, see response to question 4
	Total	
April 2015 – March 2016	Healthcare assistants and other support staff	Not applicable, see response to question 4
	Nursing, Midwifery and Health Visiting staff	Not applicable, see response to question 4
	Nursing Midwifery and Health Visiting learners	Not applicable, see response to question 4
	Total	
April 2016 – March 2017	Healthcare assistants and other support staff	Not applicable, see response to question 4
	Nursing, Midwifery and Health Visiting staff	Not applicable, see response to question 4
	Nursing Midwifery and Health Visiting learners	Not applicable, see response to question 4
	Total	