# Freedom of Information Act 2000 disclosure log entry

#### Reference

18-19113

#### Date sent

24/07/2018

## Subject

**Bullying by Staff Member** 

## Details of enquiry

- 1. In the last three financial years (2015-16, 2016-17, and 2017-18, how many staff members employed working at your trust have reported bullying by another staff member? I would be grateful if you could break down by year.
- 2. How many of these incidents were dropped or withdrawn, and how many were formally investigated? Again, please break down by year.
- 3. For the most recent financial year (2017-18) I would be grateful if you could provide a full breakdown of incidents, including the job of the alleged perpetrator (doctor, nurse, non-medical staff, etc) and what the allegation was based on as well as the outcome of the allegation.

## Response Sent

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2015/16 - 0 2016/17 - 0 2017/18 - 2

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2015/16 - 02016/17 - 0

2017/18 - 2 - both were formally investigated.

3. For the most recent financial year (2017-18) I would be grateful if you could provide a full breakdown of incidents, including the job of the alleged perpetrator (doctor, nurse, non-medical staff, etc) and what the allegation was based on - as well as the outcome of the allegation. Please find below a table outlining the 2 cases in the financial year just passed:

Staff Group of Alleged	Allegation Summary	Outcome
Perpetrator		
Scientific and Technical Staff Group	Excessive supervision	Case partially upheld
Medical and Dental Staff	Disproportionate treatment to others	Currently being investigated – outcome not yet confirmed