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Dear

Freedom of Information Act Request

I am writing in response to your e-mail of the 30th August 2023. Your request has been processed using the Trust's procedures for the disclosure of information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000).

Requested information:

- The number of sexual safety incidents reported on in-patient wards from 2019 to the latest available month in 2023? – in each case can you specify who was affected (e.g., staff, patient etc.) and who the perpetrator was (e.g., staff, patient etc.) and specify the sex of the parties involved. Could you split the data month and year please (e.g., January 2023, February 2023 etc.)

Please see Appendix 1 attached.

- How many formal sexual safety complaints have been made on in-patient wards from 2019 to the latest available month in 2023? – in each case can you specify the complainant (e.g., staff or patient etc.) and who the complaint was made against (e.g., staff or patient etc.) and specify the sex of the parties involved. Could you split the data month and year please (e.g., January 2023, February 2023 etc.). **0**
- How many breaches of the single sex ward policy have been recorded (patients being placed on mixed wards) from 2019 to the latest available month in 2023? – if possible, in each case can you specify the sex of the patient(s) affected. Could you split the data month and year please (e.g., January 2023, February 2023 etc.) **None**
- How many sexual safety incidents reported across the whole Trust services from 2019 to the latest available month in 2023? - In each case can you specify who made the report (e.g., staff or patient etc.) and who was reported (e.g., staff or patient etc.) and specify the sex of the parties involved. Could you split the data month and year please (e.g., January 2023, February 2023 etc.)

Please see Appendix 2 attached.

- How many reports have been made to the police in relation to sexual safety incidents from 2019 to the latest available month in 2023? - Could you split the data month and year please (e.g., January 2023, February 2023 etc.)

Please see Appendix 3 attached.

- Do you have an individual Board lead for sexual safety? - Please answer yes or no. **Yes**
- Have you audited the collaborative 'Sexual Safety Standards' (2020) in your Trust? - Please answer yes or no. If yes, could you provide a copy of the report please. **No**

Please note the Trust does not record data regarding the gender of the victim/perpetrator.

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review of the management of your request. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to: Dr Buki Adeyemo, Chief Executive, North Staffordshire Combined Healthcare Trust, Trust Headquarters, Lawton House, Bellringer Road, Trentham, ST4 8HH. If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely



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Incident Number	Incident Date	Department	Cause 1	Actual Impact
25396	30/01/2019	Ward 3	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To Pt	1 - No Harm
25484	06/02/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
25646	14/02/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
25713	16/02/2019	Ward 1	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
25764	24/02/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
25844	01/03/2019	PICU	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
25987	05/03/2019	Ward 1	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To Pt	1 - No Harm
26104	05/03/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
26050	11/03/2019	PICU	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
26087	15/03/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
26740	22/04/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
26958	04/05/2019	Ward 4	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To Pt	1 - No Harm
27869	18/06/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
28952	17/08/2019	Ward 3	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Other	1 - No Harm
29062	24/08/2019	Ward 3	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To 3rd Party	1 - No Harm
29074	25/08/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Abuse Pt On Pt	1 - No Harm
29066	25/08/2019	Ward 3	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To 3rd Party	1 - No Harm
29155	29/08/2019	Ward 3	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To Pt	1 - No Harm
29156	29/08/2019	Ward 3	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To Pt	1 - No Harm
29277	06/09/2019	Ward 6	Sexual - Abuse Pt On Pt	1 - No Harm
29308	07/09/2019	Ward 3	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
29436	15/09/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Abuse Pt On St	1 - No Harm
29614	25/09/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Abuse Pt On St	1 - No Harm
29602	26/09/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Abuse Pt On St	1 - No Harm
29861	12/10/2019	Ward 1	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To Pt	1 - No Harm
29934	16/10/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Abuse Pt On St	1 - No Harm
29932	16/10/2019	PICU	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Other	1 - No Harm
29941	17/10/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Abuse Pt On St	1 - No Harm
29991	19/10/2019	PICU	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
30059	24/10/2019	Ward 1	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
30122	29/10/2019	Ward 1	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To Pt	1 - No Harm
30244	29/10/2019	Ward 1	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To Pt	1 - No Harm
30260	07/11/2019	Ward 6	Sexual - Abuse Pt On Pt	1 - No Harm
30409	15/11/2019	Ward 1	Sexual - Abuse Pt On Pt	1 - No Harm
30453	18/11/2019	PICU	Sexual - Abuse Pt On Pt	1 - No Harm
30531	24/11/2019	PICU	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To Pt	1 - No Harm
30600	27/11/2019	Ward 1	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To Pt	1 - No Harm
30618	28/11/2019	PICU	Sexual - Abuse Pt On St	1 - No Harm
30630	29/11/2019	Ward 7	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Other	1 - No Harm
30646	30/11/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To Pt	1 - No Harm
30779	30/11/2019	PICU	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To Pt	1 - No Harm
30676	02/12/2019	Ward 1	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Other	1 - No Harm
30761	08/12/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
30915	17/12/2019	Ward 1	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Other	1 - No Harm
30975	20/12/2019	PICU	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To Pt	1 - No Harm
30978	20/12/2019	Ward 1	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Other	1 - No Harm

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25020	06/01/2019	Access Team (Crisis Care Centre)	Sexual - Abuse St On St	1 - No Harm
25396	30/01/2019	Ward 3	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To Pt	1 - No Harm
25484	06/02/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
25579	12/02/2019	Lymebrook CMHT	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Other	1 - No Harm
25646	14/02/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
25713	16/02/2019	Ward 1	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
25764	24/02/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
25844	01/03/2019	PICU	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
25987	05/03/2019	Ward 1	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To Pt	1 - No Harm
26104	05/03/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
25959	08/03/2019	Lymebrook CMHT	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Other	2 - Minor
26050	11/03/2019	PICU	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
26087	15/03/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
25579	11/04/2019	Lymebrook CMHT	Sexual - Abuse 3rd Party on Pt	1 - No Harm
26740	22/04/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
26958	04/05/2019	Ward 4	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To Pt	1 - No Harm
27441	14/05/2019	Lymebrook CMHT	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Other	1 - No Harm
27869	18/06/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
28873	12/08/2019	IAPT Stoke (Healthy Minds)	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Other	1 - No Harm
28952	17/08/2019	Ward 3	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Other	1 - No Harm
28984	20/08/2019	Recovery&Resettlement Team (Hillcrest)	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St	1 - No Harm
29062	24/08/2019	Ward 3	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To 3rd Party	1 - No Harm
29074	25/08/2019	Ward 2	Sexual - Abuse Pt On Pt	1 - No Harm
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30244	29/10/2019	Ward 1	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To Pt	1 - No Harm
30255	06/11/2019	Ashcombe CHMT	Sexual - Abuse Pt On St	1 - No Harm
30260	07/11/2019	Ward 6	Sexual - Abuse Pt On Pt	1 - No Harm
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Police Involved ?	Incident Date	Cause 1
Y	12/02/2019	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Other
Y	11/04/2019	Sexual - Abuse 3rd Party On Pt
Y	20/08/2019	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St
Y	11/09/2020	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Other
Y	03/12/2021	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To St
Y	24/09/2022	Sexual - Abuse Pt On St
Y	29/09/2022	Sexual - Disruptive Behaviour - Pt To 3rd Party
Y	05/06/2023	Sexual - Abuse 3rd Party On Pt