

Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002

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Question/s to be answered

This is a request for information under the Freedom of Information Scotland Act 2002 regarding resident-to-resident harm. (FYO: resident-to-resident refers to any harm/abuse inflicted on one resident by another resident).

Please can you provide relevant data for the following:

1. The total number of formal complaints received by NHS Shetland regarding resident-to-resident or patient-to-patient harm/abuse in adult inpatient services in 2021.
2. If possible, please also provide:
 - a. A brief description of the nature of the complaint (i.e sexual abuse)
 - b. The outcome of the complaint

Please could you provide the information in an electronic format, more specifically, datasets in Excel format.

NHS Shetland can confirm that there were no formal complaints regarding resident-to-resident or patient-to-patient harm/abuse in adult inpatient services in 2021.