

Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002

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Category	Scottish Parliament	FOI number	2022-228		

Question/s to be answered

1. In this health board, how many individuals are currently on waiting lists for residential detoxification and rehabilitation?

Please also provide the number of individuals who were waiting for residential detoxification and rehabilitation at the following timestamps: year ending 31 December 2021, year ending 31 December 2020, year ending 31 December 2019, year ending 31 December 2018 and year ending 31 December 2017.

NHS Shetland is only responsible for the detoxification element – the Local Authority (Shetland Islands Council) takes responsibility for the rehabilitation – although a joint assessment is undertaken to ensure individuals fit the criteria for both.

There are no waits for the above mentioned dates.

2. In this health board, what is the average time spent by individuals currently on waiting lists for residential detoxification and rehabilitation?

Please also provide the data for the following timestamps: year ending 31 December 2021, year ending 31 December 2020, year ending 31 December 2019, year ending 31 December 2018 and year ending 31 December 2017.

There are no waits

3. In this health board, what is the maximum time being spent by an individual currently on the waiting list for residential detoxification and rehabilitation?

Please also provide the data for the following timestamps: year ending 31 December 2021, year ending 31 December 2020, year ending 31 December 2019, year ending 31 December 2018 and year ending 31 December 2017.

There are no waits

4. In this health board, how many beds are there currently available for residential detoxification and rehabilitation?

Please also provide the data for the following timestamps: year ending 31 December 2021, year ending 31 December 2020, year ending 31 December 2019, year ending 31 December 2018 and year ending 31 December 2017.

NHS Shetland does not provide residential detoxification and rehabilitation – this is provided off-island.

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5. In this health board, how much was spent on residential detoxification and rehabilitation during the 2021/22 financial year?

Please also provide the data for the financial years 2020/21, 2019/20, 2018/19 and 2017/18.

Year	Cost
2017-18	£9,540
2018-19	£0
2019-20	£11,980
2020-21	0
2021-22	£28,918

6. In this health board, how many admissions for residential detoxification and rehabilitation resulted in a successful completion in the calendar year 2021? i.e. the individual remained in treatment for the planned duration of the programme.

Please also provide the data for the following timestamps: year ending 31 December 2020, year ending 31 December 2019, year ending 31 December 2018 and year ending 31 December 2017.

In accordance with FOISA s 17(1), NHS Shetland confirms that it does not hold the information requested.

The local authority (Shetland Islands Council) may be able to provide this information. Their contact details for FOI are provided here: <https://www.shetland.gov.uk/managing-information/freedom-information-foi>

7. In this health board, of those currently admitted for residential detoxification and rehabilitation, how many are repeat admissions?

Please provide the data both as a number and also as a percentage of total admissions.

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