

Trust Headquarters Russell's Hall Hospital Dudley West Midlands DY1 2HQ

Ref: FOI-112024-0001227

Date: 12/11/2024

Address / Email:

Dear

Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Request

1. The number of people who have attended A&E and given Semaglutide as a reason for their visit, where there drug was indicated for weight management - in every year between 2022 and 2024. Please give a figure for each year

Semaglutide also goes under brand names such as Ozempic, Saxenda, Rybelsus and Wegovy – can you please include these names in your records also.

2. Please break the figures down to give details of the complications patients presented with as a result of their use of Semaglutide.

<u>Response</u>

We are unable to provide the requested information as we do not hold this in a reportable format. When information is not in a reportable format. The ICO guidance clearly states "FOIA only applies to information that a public authority already holds in recorded form at the time of a request. If you don't hold a particular piece of information that someone has asked for, you don't have to create it".

If you are dissatisfied with our response, you have the right to appeal in line with guidance from the Information Commissioner. In the first instance you may contact the Information Governance Manager of the Trust.

Information Governance Manager Trust Headquarters Russell's Hall Hospital Dudley West Midlands DY1 2HQ Email: <u>dqft.dpo@nhs.net</u>

Should you disagree with the contents of our response to your appeal, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioners Office at.

112024-0001227

Information Commissioners Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF Tel: 0303 123 1113 www.ico.org.uk

If you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Team The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust