

Dear

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request concerning Liverpool Care Pathway.

The Trust can provide the following information:

1. How many patients in the care of your acute health Trust were put on the Liverpool Care Pathway for the Dying Patient (LCP) between January 2013 and October 2013 inclusive? Please break this figure down month-by-month (one figure for January 2013, another for February 2013... etc).

If possible, could you also please break down July 2013 further: into the period July 1-14 inclusive, and the period July 15-31 inclusive.

As this isn't officially recorded but from our EPR we were able to supply the below data.

Total number of palliative care patient's RIP Jan – Oct 2013 = **123**

Total number of palliative care patient's RIP with LCP Jan – Oct 2013 = **38**

Month	Total number of death's	Number of deaths on LCP
Jan	15	2
Feb	19	8
Mar	15	10
Apr	9	4
May	11	6
June	16	7
July	16	1
Jul 1 st -14 th inc	8	1
Jul 15 th -31 st inc	8	0
Aug	3	0
Sept	9	0
Oct	10	0

2. Does your acute health Trust currently receive any payments/funding under the Commissioning for Quality and Innovation (CQUIN) system which are associated with the LCP? **No**

3. Has your acute health Trust ever received such payments/funding under CQUIN? **Yes**

4. If 'no' to 2 and 'yes' to 3, on what date was the association between LCP and CQUIN stopped? **Year ended 31 March 2012**

5. What was total value of such payments to your acute Trust in each month between January 2013 and October 2013 inclusive? (If possible, please break July into the period July 1-14 and July 15-31). **Nil**

If you have any queries about this response please contact the information governance manager at foi@homerton.nhs.uk , in the first instance. If, following that, you still have any concerns, you may contact the Information Commissioner either by letter, FOI/EIR Complaints resolution, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SM9 5AF, or by email www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk to take them further.

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