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Dear Sir/Madam

Thank you for your recent Freedom of Information request regarding delayed discharges.

The Trust can provide the following information:

How many times in the last year has the trust sought to discharge a patient but been unable to because of lack of social care provision?

2012 - 63 (data only available from September 2012)

2013 - 191

2014 - 180

This data is only held electronically since September 2012; therefore we can only provide figures from that date onwards.

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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Yours sincerely

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