

Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTHB_470_18

You asked:

The following freedom of information request is about the number of young people who were admitted to hospital with self-induced injuries or after self-harming in the Cwm Taf Health Board.

1. How many females under the age 18 were admitted to hospital, who were presenting signs of self-harm (cutting, attempted suicide etc.) in the financial year 2018-2019 to date?
2. Please provide a breakdown of figures for the question above for the years 2017-2018; 2016-2017, 2015-2016, 2014-2015, 2014-2013. Please provide the breakdown by year.
 - If you hold the information in calendar years, please provide a breakdown (per year) for the last five calendar years.
3. How many males under the age 18 were admitted to hospital, who were presenting signs of self-harm (cutting, attempted suicide etc.) in the financial year 2018-2019 to date?
4. Please provide a breakdown of figures for the question above for the years 2017-2018; 2016-2017, 2015-2016, 2014-2015. Please provide the breakdown by year.
 - If you hold the information in calendar years, please provide a breakdown (per year) for the last five calendar years.

Our response:

Q 1 – 4 Please see information provided in the table below:

Patients Aged <18 Admitted for Self-Harm: 01.04.13 - 31.10.18			
Financial Year	Female	Male	Total
2013/14	161	48	209
2014/15	126	25	151
2015/16	152	36	188
2016/17	115	21	136
2017/18	100	28	128
2018 (Apr - Oct)	82	6	88