

## **Freedom of Information Request**

1. Kindly provide a monthly breakdown of the number of patients admitted to Trust hospitals who, between February 2020 and March 2021, initially tested negative for SARS-CoV-2 but who subsequently tested positive for SARS-CoV-2 whilst resident within the Trust's hospitals;

Response - 139 people had a first positive test after their date of admission.

Mar-2020	2
Apr-2020	5
May-2020	12
Jun-2020	4
Aug-2020	1
Nov-2020	11
Dec-2020	33
Jan-2021	44
Feb-2021	13
Mar-2021	14
Grand Total	139

2. Kindly provide a monthly breakdown of the number of patients admitted to Trust hospitals who, between February 2020 and March 2021, contracted a nosocomial infection of SARS-CoV-2 whilst resident within the Trust's hospitals

Response:

Number of Probable or Definite SARS-CoV-2 HCAI Infections by Month

Mar-2020	2
Apr-2020	1
May-2020	12
Jun-2020	3
Nov-2020	10
Dec-2020	25
Jan-2021	31
Feb-2021	8
Mar-2021	11
Grand	
Total	103

NOTE: Patient admission testing did not commence until 26<sup>th</sup> April 2020, up to that point only patients who met clinical criteria regardless of epidemiological links were tested. Community Testing was not in place. The data shows the number of cases associated with SARS-CoV-2 infection but for the Probable infections particularly does not necessarily imply that the person contracted the infection whilst in hospital.