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## Re: Freedom of Information Request

Thank you for your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 which was received into this office on 29<sup>th</sup> November 2017.

### You Asked for:

1. The number of patients within your CCG that were admitted to hospital from Care Homes in the past 12 months?
2. The total cost of these admissions?
3. How many admissions were identified as Ambulatory/potentially avoidable
4. The number of patients within your CCG that were re-admitted within 7 days of discharge from Hospital in the past 12 months?
5. The number of patients within your CCG that were re-admitted within 30 days of discharge from Hospital in the past 12 months?

### Our Response:

1. The number of patients admitted to hospital from Care Homes in the past 12 months is 593 (with attendances totalling 737) for the 12 months between November 2016 and October 2017.
2. The total cost of these admissions is £1,589,827.00
3. 120 of these admissions are identified as Ambulatory/potentially avoidable.
4. The number of patients that were re-admitted within 7 days of discharge from Hospital in the past 12 months was 58.
5. The number of patients that were re-admitted within 30 days of discharge from Hospital in the past 12 months was 173.

Please note that with regards to care home numbers, hospital admissions from care homes is flagged by Data Services for Commissioners and uses postcodes, however this may not be a true representation of activity, especially if a care home has the same postcode as another property.

We hope this information is useful, however if you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact a member of the Corporate Affairs Team (contact details at the top of this letter)

Yours sincerely

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