

EAST KENT HOSPITALS UNIVERSITY NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT - COMPLIANCE REPORT

PERIOD COVERING 01 OCTOBER 2020 TO 31ST MARCH 2021

1. FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUESTS RECEIVED

Total number received	290
Number Closed within 20 Working days	335
Number breached 20 Working days	40
Number withdrawn (by the requester)	2
Number closed – no clarification received (by the Trust)	2
Number open – clarification not yet received (by the Trust):	2
Number rejected – due to Covid 19	5

2. EXEMPTIONS APPLIED

	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	TOTAL
All information delivered	30	19	26	35	23	31	164
*Information partially delivered	14	12	9	15	14	11	75
No Information Delivered – Exceeded Fees Limit	0	3	1	0	2	1	7
No Information Delivered – Information Not Held	0	0	4	0	1	2	7
No Information Delivered – Exemption applied	4	5	2	1	0	0	12
On hold (awaiting clarification)	1	1	0	1	1	1	5
Withdrawn	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Closed – Clarification not received	0	0	0	0	0	0	05
Rejected by Trust – Covid-19	4	1	0	0	0	0	
Information Partially delivered	1	2	2	4	3	0	12
• Exceeded Fees Limit							
Information Partially delivered	10	5	3	2	3	6	29
• Exemption applied							
Information Partially delivered	3	5	4	9	8	5	34
• Information Not Held							

3. INTERNAL REVIEWS

MONTH	TOTAL INTERNAL REVIEW	OUTCOME
OCTOBER	4	2 PARTIALLY UPHELD 1 UPHELD 1 REVIEWED
NOVEMBER	3	1 UPHELD 2 REVIEWED
DECEMBER	1	UPHELD
JANUARY	0	N/A
FEBRUARY	1	UPHELD
MARCH	0	
TOTAL	9	