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## **Re: Freedom of Information**

### **Request**

Please find below the response to your recent Freedom of Information request regarding delayed transfers at Hospitals services within NHS Southport and Formby CCG.

Request/[Response](#):

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information relating to the hospitals in your area:

What is the longest amount of time in days a patient had been kept in hospital due to delayed transfer in the past 12 months?

Could you give me details for the three longest delayed transfer stays, the name of the hospital concerned and if possible the age and sex of the patients concerned and the department they were in (ie elderly care/general surgery, paediatrics etc)?

Are you also able to give a brief reason for the delay in each instance (ie lack of beds in care facility/delay equipping home etc)?

[NHS Southport and Formby CCG does not hold this information, you may wish to redirect your queries to the provider](#)

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Alternatively some relevant information is publically available on the NHS England website (Local Authority, Hospital Provider, number of patients delayed and total delayed days, Agency responsible for the delay, type of care that the patient receives (acute or non-acute) and the reason for delay): <https://www.england.nhs.uk/statistics/statistical-work-areas/delayed-transfers-of-care/2016-17-data/>