

Request title: Delayed Discharges Jan & Feb 16

Date of Response: 19th April 2016

Further to your Freedom of Information request, the Trust has answered your questions in the order they appear in your request.

Further questions and responses

To complete my understanding of 'delayed discharges' which affect the running of hospitals so markedly, I should be grateful for

ONE a definition of 'Further Non Acute NHS Care'. Does this mean a bed in a Community Hospital and that alone?

This can relate to the following:

- Community Hospital / Intermediate Care
- Mental Health Care Bed
- Hospice Care
- CHC bed (including fast tracks)
- Any other **non-acute** NHS care

TWO I take it that the figure of 1379 in this category refers to the total number of patients whose discharge was delayed whilst they waited for 'Further Non Acute NHS Care'. **If I am correct in this assumption**, I should be grateful to know the total number of bed days involved in the first six categories that you list.

The figure of 1379 refers to the total number of bed days and not the number of patients whose discharges were delayed.