

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST**

**RF23-676**

We can confirm East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust (EKHUFT) holds the information you have requested. Please see the below response in bold.

Please can I request the following information under the Freedom of Information Act on cancer operations that have been cancelled at your Trust.

1. The number of deaths on days recorded by your Trust when your Trust had declared a 'critical incident' broken down by each of the years a) 2018, b) 2019, c) 2020, d) 2021, e) 2022, g) 2023 so far

**EKHUFT has had no formal critical incidents declared.**

2. The number of days when your Trust had declared a 'critical incident' broken down by each of the years a) 2018, b) 2019, c) 2020, d) 2021, e) 2022, g) 2023 so far

**Please see the response to question one.**

3. The number of deaths recorded by your Trust on days when your Trust has not declared a 'critical incident' broken down by each of the years a) 2018, b) 2019, c) 2020, d) 2021, e) 2022, g) 2023 so far

**Please note the information provided is for the number of in-hospital deaths that have been recorded.**

<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023*</b>
<b>2,680</b>	<b>2,586</b>	<b>2,798</b>	<b>2,617</b>	<b>2,434</b>	<b>2,218</b>

**\*Up to 05 December 2023**

4. The number of days when your Trust had not declared a 'critical incident' broken down by each of the years a) 2018, b) 2019, c) 2020, d) 2021, e) 2022, g) 2023 so far

<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023*</b>
<b>365</b>	<b>365</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>365</b>	<b>365</b>	<b>339</b>

**\*Up to 05 December 2023**

**(DATE OF RESPONSE: 05 DECEMBER 2023)**