

**Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Request Reference FoI/22/544**

**Datix Incident Reports**

1. Please could you tell us how many incidents were logged relating to staffing issues in the years 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022 (to date). The category on the Datix system for this is, we understand, "staffing/inappropriate skills mix" although this may differ between trusts. Please could you break these down by degree of harm (i.e. No harm, low, moderate, severe, death or similar) as set out in the table below.

	No harm	Low	Moderate	Severe	Death
2018	705	348	75	1	0
2019	695	315	85	0	0
2020	640	304	76	1	0
2021	795	528	136	9	0
2022 (to date)	493	363	204	19	0

2. Please could you tell us how many incidents were logged relating to pressure ulcers (or sores) in the years 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022 (to date). It appears a number of Trusts record two different categories of pressure sores – one for community-acquired sores and the other for hospital-acquired.

If possible, please could you report these numbers separately. If that is not possible, then please combine both figures and make us aware of this. Please could you again break the data down by degree of harm (i.e. No harm, low, moderate, severe, death or similar). Some Trusts record different grades of pressure ulcer. In this case please could you combine those into one overall figure.

**PRESSURE ULCERS/SORES – COMMUNITY ACQUIRED**

	No harm	Low	Moderate	Severe	Death
2018	1	599	198	5	0
2019	3	598	218	2	0
2020	2	569	249	2	0
2021	23	803	313	4	0
2022 (to date)	110	976	264	6	0

**PRESSURE ULCERS/SORES – HOSPITAL/TRUST ACQUIRED**

	No harm	Low	Moderate	Severe	Death
2018	2	812	256	5	0
2019	5	989	277	2	0
2020	2	1041	292	2	0
2021	26	1433	313	0	0
2022 (to date)	123	1343	573	25	0

**Please note:** that the figures pulled from DatixCymru are based off of the actual harm input by the reporter, rather than the final severity entered by the manager as many investigations are still under review and so not all have final harm assigned, this enables comparison but there may be a different harm level assigned post investigation once more is known.