

**Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Request Reference FoI/23/135**

**Knife Crime**

**Information Requested:**

I would like to make an application under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 for the following information: (please provide a breakdown from 2019 - present, in calendar years not fiscal)

- 1) How many patients involved in knife crime incidents have been admitted to hospitals within your health-board?
- 2) Of those patients admitted, how many died?

**Response details:**

| No of Visits            | 2019      | 2020      | 2021      | 2022      | 2023     | Total     |
|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| <b>Discharged Alive</b> | 10        | 23        | 18        | 11        | 3        | <b>65</b> |
| <b>Died in A&amp;E</b>  | 1         |           |           |           |          | <b>1</b>  |
| <b>Total</b>            | <b>11</b> | <b>23</b> | <b>18</b> | <b>11</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>66</b> |

*These incidents were Flagged up as Assaults either involving a knife or as a stabbing incident.*

*These patients were admitted to hospitals within the health-board except for 1 patient who died in the A&E department.*