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## Dear Sir/Madam

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your email dated 18th September 2024 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding Covid

- Q1 Please provide me with data, for each of the 12 months to the end of June 2024, of aggregate numbers of N-QBD ('lost bed days') at each of Royal Stoke Hospital and County Hospital for non-Covid patients.
- A1 See below:

Month End	Royal	County
	Stoke	
31/07/2023	2492	343
31/08/2023	2265	288
30/09/2023	2010	288
31/10/2023	1928	255
30/11/2023	2302	289
31/12/2023	2065	249
31/01/2024	1963	248
29/02/2024	1873	259
31/03/2024	2390	285
30/04/2024	2051	279
31/05/2024	2571	166
30/06/2024	2128	208

- Q2 Of these aggregate numbers within each of the above 2 hospitals above, what numbers are "super stranded" patients, being those waiting more than 21 days for discharge from being classed as medically fit for discharge (MFFD), maybe classified as DTOC (delayed transfer of care).
- A2 See below:







Month End	Royal	County
	Stoke	
31/07/2023	75	0
31/08/2023	12	0
30/09/2023	63	0
31/10/2023	48	0
30/11/2023	69	1
31/12/2023	31	0
31/01/2024	37	0
29/02/2024	1	0
31/03/2024	41	0
30/04/2024	48	0
31/05/2024	78	0
30/06/2024	52	0

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Yours,

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