

## Freedom of Information Act 2000

## The Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust Response to Information request

Date Request Received: 4<sup>th</sup> July 2025

FOI Ref No 29443

### Requested Information:

1. How many hospital admissions in the past five years had the recorded reason for attendance of 'food poisoning'?
  - Please provide figures for the financial years:
    - a. 2020/21
    - b. 2021/22
    - c. 2022/23
    - d. 2023/24
    - e. 2024/25.
  - **Note:** If it is not possible to provide a response for 'food poisoning' specifically, please include all admission codes under which a food poisoning-related admission could be logged.
2. How many reported admissions in total involved:
  - a. Salmonella
  - b. E.Coli
  - c. Campylobacter
3. For 2a, 2b and 2c, please also provide a breakdown by the financial years:
  - a. 2020/21
  - b. 2021/22
  - c. 2022/23
  - d. 2023/24
  - e. 2024/25
4. If possible, please provide a breakdown of the foodstuffs stated as the cause of the illness.

### Response:

Please view appendix one for the response to questions 1-3.

It is not possible to answer question 4 as specific "foodstuffs" are not coded.

### Attachment(s):

Appendix One – FOI Ref 29443 Response

Date Response sent: 17<sup>th</sup> July 2025