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## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT

I am responding to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act. The answers to your specific questions are as follows:

- 1) Please can you provide the number of hospital admissions at your trust where either malnutrition or nutritional deficiencies were recorded as a primary diagnosis?

Financial Year	No. Admissions
2020/21	14
2021/22	6
2022/23	21
2023/24	7
2024/25	4
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>52</b>

- 2) Separately, please, can you provide the number of hospital admissions at your trust where either malnutrition or nutritional deficiencies were recorded as a secondary diagnosis?

Please may this data be supplied for the following financial years:

2020/21  
2021/22  
2022/23  
2023/24  
2024/25 (to latest available point if not yet complete).

Financial Year	No. Admissions
2020/21	148
2021/22	94
2022/23	99
2023/24	73
2024/25	68
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>482</b>

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If I can be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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Yours sincerely

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