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I am responding to your request for information received 22 July 2024. This has been treated as a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I am now enclosing a response which is attached to the end of this letter. Please do not hesitate to contact me on the contact details above if you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely,

Information Rights Coordinator

If you are dissatisfied with the Trust's response to your FOIA request then you should contact us and we will arrange for an internal review of this decision.

If you remain dissatisfied with the decision following our response to your complaint, you may write to the Information Commissioner for a decision under Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

Tel: 0303 123 1113
Web: www.ico.org.uk

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Request: With reference to the financial years a) 2021/22, b) 2022/23 and c) 2023/24, please tell me

Question 1: How many Never Events did your trust record in which one or more of the below Medical Associate Professionals was involved

- Physician associate
- Anaesthesia associate
- Advanced critical care practitioner
- Surgical care practitioner

Please break down the data by type of professional and financial year.

Answer: The Trust has reviewed question 1 of your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000.

Section 1(1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 states:

*Any person making a request for information to a public authority is entitled—
(a) to be informed in writing by the public authority whether it holds information of the description specified in the request, and
(b) if that is the case, to have that information communicated to them.*

East London NHS Foundation Trust is primarily a Mental Health and Community Health Trust and as such does not provide acute services. The Trust is therefore unable to provide a response.

Question 2: For the 10 most recent events identified, please provide me with a detailed summary of the Never Event.

Answer: Not applicable.

Question 3: For each Never Event identified in question 1, please indicate the number of cases where the incident was judged to have more likely than not resulted in a patient death.

Answer: Not applicable.



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