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I am responding to your request for information received 12th August 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.

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.

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**Request:**

**Question 1: How many staff you employ to deal with the analysing, reviewing/screening, monitoring and reporting of mortality information, over and above the patient safety team?**

**Answer:** The Trust does not employ any individuals outside of the Patient Safety Team to analyse, review, screen, monitor and report on mortality information.

**Question 2: Also, how many staff are available/identified for undertaking stage 2 reviews and investigations?**

**Answer:** The Trust employs nine patient safety reviewers. The Trust uses the Patient Safety Incident Response Framework and no longer carries out stage 2 investigations or reviews.



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