**FOI Ref: 6376**

**Category(ies): Clinical – Service Activity**

**Subject: Covid 19 Hospital Infections**

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| **Your request:** | **Our response:** |
| I am writing to submit a Freedom of Information request to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, to request the following information: |
| The number of people who were infected with Covid-19 inside your hospitals - so the patients who tested positive for Covid-19 after testing negative when they were first admitted. Please may I have the figures broken down for the number of hospital-acquired infections for each individual hospital. | Single site hospital – The Rotherham Trust362 patients discharged up to 10th May 2022, meet the criteria of definite hospital acquired infection as defined by NHSEI CNO Letter (Ref No 001559) 19 May 2020: *A definite HCAI case has illness onset (or first positive specimen date) 15 or more days after admission.* |
| The number of people who after being infected with Covid inside the hospital, then died of or with the virus, whilst in hospital, or after discharge. Please may I also have these figures broken down for the number of deaths for each individual hospital. | \*88 of the 362 patients died in hospital. Hospital Datasets do not contain details about outcomes post discharge. Unable to answer that element of the question.\*The deaths identified do not necessarily represent death as a result of Covid infection and includes all deaths, regardless of underlying cause. |