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From: Private Individual
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Subject: Deaths more likely than not caused by problems in care 2022-24

Q1 Please tell me separately for 2022/23 and 2023/24 the number of deaths for which a case record review or investigation has been carried out leading to the conclusion that they were more likely than not to have been due to problems in the care provided to the patient.

A1 [2022/23 - Information exempt under Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 - 'Information reasonably accessible to the applicant by other means'](#). This information is available on our website, it can be found in our Quality Report 2022/23:

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Q2 Please provide me with a brief overview of the first 5 incidents (in 2023/24 preferably or from 2022/23 if the former is not yet available) identified in question 1 (i.e. cases of deaths that were more likely than not caused by problems in care), withholding any identifying information that would run into a Section 40 exemption

A2 Information exempted under Section 40: Personal Data. Providing this information would likely identify individuals involved- as there were only two deaths judged more likely than not to have been due to problems in the care provided, therefore there is an increased likelihood or risk of identification.

Q3 Finally, can you please summarise what the Trust learnt and what actions have been taken as a result of these five cases highlighted in question 2?

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