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Dear Mr Sharpe,

Re: Freedom of Information Request

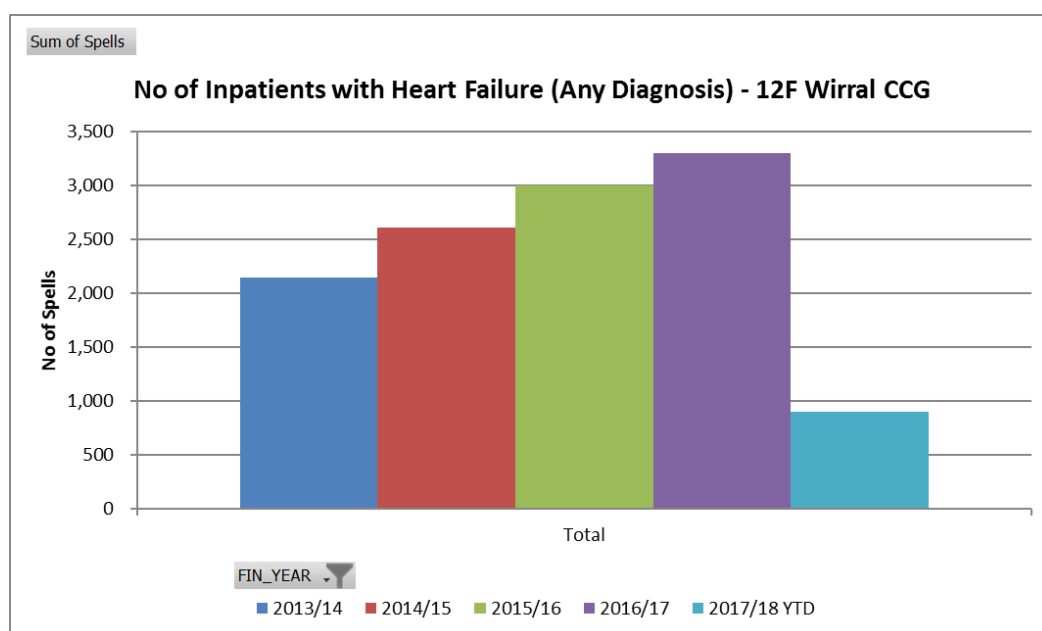
Thank you for your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 which was received into this office on 8th August 2017.

You Asked for:

- 1) **Number of inpatients with heart failure in the last 5 years, with heart failure being any part of the diagnosis.**

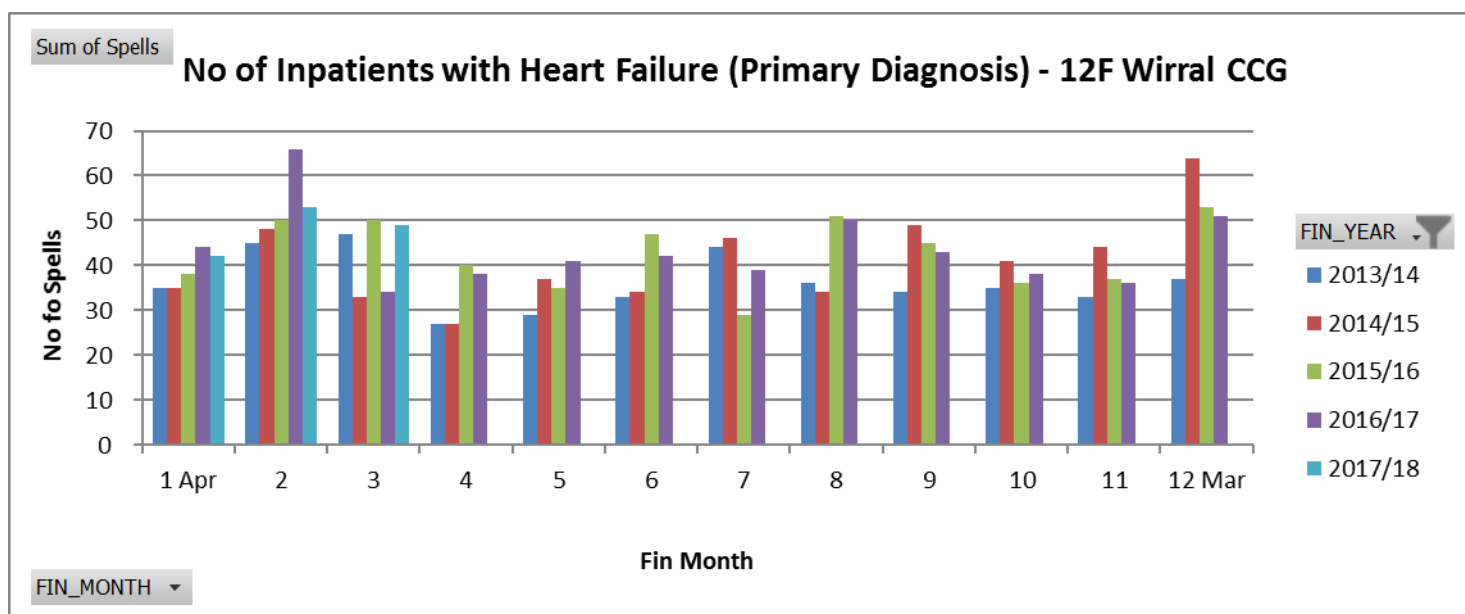
Please see below a table and graph providing the information requested:

	Column Labels					Grand Total
	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18 YTD	
Sum of Spells	2,144	2,610	2,997	3,295	900	11,946



2) Number of inpatients with heart failure in the last 5 years, with heart failure being the primary diagnosis.

Sum of Spells	Column Labels					Grand Total
Row Labels	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	Total
1 Apr	35	35	38	44	42	194
2	45	48	50	66	53	262
3	47	33	50	34	49	213
4	27	27	40	38		132
5	29	37	35	41		142
6	33	34	47	42		156
7	44	46	29	39		158
8	36	34	51	50		171
9	34	49	45	43		171
10	35	41	36	38		150
11	33	44	37	36		150
12 Mar	37	64	53	51		205
Grand Total	435	492	511	522	144	2,104



- 3) Number of inpatients, regardless of condition, were treated with Furosemide (tablets or intravenous injection) in the last 5 years.
- 4) Number of inpatients that were treated with Furosemide in the last 5 years had heart failure as any part of the diagnosis.
- 5) Number of inpatients that were treated with Furosemide in the last 5 years had heart failure as the primary diagnosis.

NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group do not routinely collect this data, therefore are unable to answer questions 3-5.

We hope this information is useful, however if you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact a member of the Corporate Affairs Team (contact details at the top of this letter)

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