

Freedom of Information Request

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Information Requested:

Firstly, I would like to request the following under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000:

For each financial year (April 2019-March 2020, April 2020-March 2021, April 2021-March 2022, April 2022-March 2023 and April 2023-March 2024 - or as close to these time frames as possible), please provide:

A) The number of Prevent referrals made by your Trust?

2019-2020 – 4 referrals 2020-2021 – 1 referral 2021-2022 - 6 referrals 2022-2023 – 1 referral 2023-2024 – 5 referrals

B) The number of your Trust's Prevent referrals that have been discussed at the Channel Panel?

2019-2020 – 2 cases 2020-2021 – 1 case 2021-2022 – 3 cases

2022-2023 – 4 cases (some external referrals)
2023-2024 – 13 EPUT cases heard (Some referrals from other agencies)

C) The number of people that your Trust referred under Prevent who received Channel support?

All referred initially receiving mental health support. Some disengaged from support.

For A), B) and C) can you please provide where possible the numbers distributed by:

1. Whether the referral was made by a mental health service/department, or a non-mental health service/department?

All referrals from mental health teams.

2. The ethnic groups of the referred people?

White British Eritrean Turkish Somalian

3. The religious/faith groups of the referred people?

Islam Unknown

4. The type of concern?

Threats to bomb UK government and anti-UK Threats to bomb other global governments



Threats to go on a killing rampage with weapons

Extreme right wing – reference to Nazis and interest in acts of violence and school shootings.

Tried to join the Syrian war.

Conversion to Islam while in prison – communication with lots of people in Pakistan.

Wanting to make homemade bombs.

Narcissistic and sociopathic thoughts – watching torture on the dark web.

Secondly, I would like to request the following under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000:

All recorded information in the form of (i)Correspondence including emails & letters, (ii)Documents, (iii)Meeting Minutes - held by or on behalf of the Trust since October 1st 2023, referencing the terms ['Prevent' or 'Prevent Duty' or 'Prevent Referral'] collocated with the terms ['Palestine' or 'Palestinian' or 'Gaza' or 'Israeli' or 'Israeli' or 'Middle East'].

Exemption Section 12 it has been calculated that to retrieve the information would exceed the 'appropriate limit' as described in the Freedom of Information Act 2000 Fees Regulations.

Publication Scheme:

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