

Reference: FOI.ICB-2324/026

Subject: Drug/Blood Clot Related Deaths and Overdoses

I can confirm that the ICB does hold some of the information requested; please see responses below:

QUESTION	RESPONSE																																																																																											
<p>1. How many patients have been treated within your health board with symptoms of drug overdose in 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023?</p> <p>Please provide a monthly breakdown of each of the years listed (January, February, March, etc).</p>	<p>Admissions with a primary diagnosis of poisoning, and secondary diagnosis of either accidental or self-inflicted. Numbers rounded to the nearest 5.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="1099 791 1942 1289"> <thead> <tr> <th>Month</th> <th>2018</th> <th>2019</th> <th>2020</th> <th>2021</th> <th>2022</th> <th>2023</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Jan</td> <td>200</td> <td>215</td> <td>255</td> <td>250</td> <td>230</td> <td>220</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Feb</td> <td>220</td> <td>250</td> <td>280</td> <td>265</td> <td>200</td> <td>250</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mar</td> <td>240</td> <td>270</td> <td>230</td> <td>310</td> <td>195</td> <td>200</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Apr</td> <td>225</td> <td>245</td> <td>180</td> <td>270</td> <td>200</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>May</td> <td>240</td> <td>280</td> <td>260</td> <td>305</td> <td>235</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Jun</td> <td>235</td> <td>265</td> <td>305</td> <td>275</td> <td>245</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Jul</td> <td>305</td> <td>270</td> <td>300</td> <td>235</td> <td>210</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Aug</td> <td>290</td> <td>235</td> <td>300</td> <td>210</td> <td>235</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Sep</td> <td>270</td> <td>255</td> <td>260</td> <td>240</td> <td>205</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Oct</td> <td>270</td> <td>290</td> <td>295</td> <td>220</td> <td>195</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Nov</td> <td>230</td> <td>275</td> <td>260</td> <td>220</td> <td>200</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Dec</td> <td>245</td> <td>260</td> <td>275</td> <td>195</td> <td>140</td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Month	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Jan	200	215	255	250	230	220	Feb	220	250	280	265	200	250	Mar	240	270	230	310	195	200	Apr	225	245	180	270	200		May	240	280	260	305	235		Jun	235	265	305	275	245		Jul	305	270	300	235	210		Aug	290	235	300	210	235		Sep	270	255	260	240	205		Oct	270	290	295	220	195		Nov	230	275	260	220	200		Dec	245	260	275	195	140	
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4. Please can you provide the number of deaths due to blood clots per age group for the years; 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023.

To specify, I would like the data to be separated in the following age groups, unless the data is already separated differently: Under 20 years old, under 30 years old, under 40 years old, under 50 years old, under 60 years old, under 70 years old, under 80 years old, 80 years old and above.

Please note: small number suppressed and rounded to nearest 5. Identified via Embolism & Thrombosis.

Age Bands:	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Less than 20	*	*				
Less than 30			*	*	*	
Less than 40	*	*	*	*	*	*
Less than 50	10	10	*	10	10	*
Less than 60	15	20	25	30	25	*
Less than 70	25	20	40	50	40	10
Less than 80	50	55	55	70	55	15
80 yrs old and above	60	65	80	65	80	15

The information provided in this response is accurate as of 12 May 2023 and has been approved for release by Sarah Truelove, Deputy Chief Executive and Chief Finance Officer for NHS Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire ICB.