

SUIs involving < 18 yr olds

Request

Please send me the following information about Serious Untoward Incidents involving young people (aged 18 or under) who have received mental health services.

Please provide annual figures for the number of incidents over the past three years broken down by the following incident types:

1. The number of suicides within secure settings
2. The number of attempted suicides within secure settings
3. The number of suicides in the community
4. The number of attempted suicides in the community
5. The number of unexpected deaths within secure settings
6. The number of unexpected deaths in the community

Our Response

We are pleased to provide the following information in response to your request:

1. The number of suicides within secure settings = 0
2. The number of attempted suicides within secure settings = 1
3. The number of suicides in the community = 1 (however, this has not yet been confirmed as we are awaiting confirmation from the Coroner, no inquest has been held as yet).
4. The number of attempted suicides in the community = 0
5. The number of unexpected deaths within secure settings = 0
6. The number of unexpected deaths in the community = 1