

Freedom of Information Request	FOI 23-626	7 th December 2023
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Your request

1. Since October 2022, how many people were admitted to hospitals within your trust/health board with either a primary or secondary diagnosis of malnutrition and other nutritional deficiencies?
2. If it does not exceed the FOI cost threshold, could I also ask how many people were admitted to hospitals within your trust with a primary or secondary diagnosis of either Rickets, Osteomalacia or Scurvy? Please provide a breakdown of the number of incidents of each illness.

Our response

Our response to questions 1 and 2 is provided in the table below. Please note that the information has been provided for the period of October 2022 to November 2023. The figures provided reflect the numbers of admitted patients only and will not include any patients who presented to any assessment unit.

The International Classification of Diseases (ICD-10) is a system used by physicians to classify and code all diagnoses, symptoms and procedures and has been used to search for the information requested. A database, which provides further information on the codes used, can be found using this link: [ICD-10 Version:2019 \(who.int\)](https://icd.who.int/).

Primary or Secondary Diagnosis	ICD-10 Diagnosis Codes	No. of Admissions
Malnutrition	E40 - E46	93
Other nutritional deficiencies	E50 - E63	2138
Nutritional anaemias	D50 - D53	4301
Rickets	E55.0	0
Osteomalacia	M83	6
Scurvy	E54	4