

**Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, can your health board provide:**

**Annual numbers of people hospitalised in the health board area as a result of dog attacks (or more specifically, dog bites) between 2010 and 2022?**

**If so, can you also provide data on**

- the age range,
- gender and
- location (including health board area) of those who had to be hospitalised due to dog attacks?

***Clarification requested and received to confirm the information requested relates to ED/A&E attendances***

Please find the information requested on the attached spreadsheet. The Health Board is only able to provide information from 2012 onwards.

Please note it is not possible to identify who or what inflicted the bite (it could be e.g. a dog, an insect, a snake or another human etc.). The location included is the patients' area of residence (where they live) as it is not possible to identify the location of the incident itself.