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Thank you for your request concerning legal representation.

Your request has been considered and processed in accordance with the requirements of the Freedom of Information (FOI) Act 2000.

1. **During the calendar year 2018 what was the total spend for your mental health trust on legal representation for Article 2 inquests into the following types of death only:**
 - A. **the unnatural, self-inflicted or violent death of anyone detained or de-facto detained in health in-patient settings.**
 - B. **the self-inflicted death of a child placed by CAMHS in a privately-run mental health hospital;**
 - C. **a detained patient who dies following discharge in circumstances where inadequate support and community-based arrangements have been put into place**

£0

2. **During the calendar year 2018 what was the total spend for your mental health trust on all legal representation where your trust was legally represented as an interested person at an inquest?**

£20,813.12

Should you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Please find enclosed an information sheet regarding copyright protection and the Trust's complaints procedure in the event that you are not satisfied with the response.

Yours sincerely

Sue Smith

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Information Rights Officer

Enc: Copyright Protection and Complaints Procedure Information Leaflet.

If you would like to complete a short survey in relation to your Freedom of Information request please scan the QR code below or click [here](#).

