

Reference Number: FOI202425/378
From: Commercial
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Subject: Incidents and admissions related to slipping or falling on snow or ice

Q1 I would like admissions data please. I am requesting data relating to patients who presented for treatment which could have occurred anywhere including out and about down the high street or at home.

Please provide the number of incidents recorded in 2021, 2022, 2023, and 2024 that are classified under the following codes or descriptions:

For Each Relevant Incident, Where Possible, Please Include:

- A breakdown by year/month.
- A breakdown by age.
- A breakdown by gender.
- A brief description of the injuries sustained.
- ICD-10 5th Edition:
 - Volume 3 – Alphabetical Index – External Causes of Injury:
 - i. Fall, falling (accidental):
 - 1. Down:
 - a. Ramp (involving ice or snow)
 - b. Stairs, steps (involving ice or snow)
 - 2. From, off:
 - a. Incline (involving ice or snow)
 - b. Ramp (involving ice or snow)
 - c. Stairs, steps (involving ice or snow)
 - 3. In, on:
 - a. Ramp (involving ice or snow)
 - b. Staircase, stairs, steps (involving ice or snow)
 - 4. Same level NEC:
 - a. Involving ice or snow
 - ii. Slipping (accidental) (on same level) (with fall):
 - 1. On ice
 - Volume 1 – Tabular List:
 - Chapter XX: External Causes of Morbidity and Mortality
 - i. V01–X59: Accidents
 - 1. W00–X59: Other External Causes of Accidental Injury
 - a. W00–W19: Falls
 - i. W00: Fall on Same Level Involving Ice and Snow
- If ICD-10 is not used, then ICD-11 codes:
 - ICD-11 for Mortality and Morbidity Statistics:
 - i. PA60: Unintentional Fall on the Same Level or from Less Than 1 Metre

1. XE3LV: Snow, Ice

- If neither ICD-10 nor ICD-11 codes are used:
 - The number of incidents where slipping or falling on/off ice or snow was mentioned.

A1 Information not held – the Trust does not have an Accident & Emergency department so this is not applicable to the Trust