

Request Ref: 2842

FOI Request dated **23/03/2023** as follows –

Could you please supply me with the following information concerning University of Hull's pastoral care for students requesting help for mental health issues and support, and also concerning the number of registered students that committed suicide, as outlined below.

1. *How many students per academic year approached University of Hull's pastoral care/mental health support services or team in 2019, 2020, 2021, and 2022?*
2. *How much funding was received by said team/s in the academic years of 2019, 2020, 2021, and 2022?*
3. *Please break down the funding and its amounts into separate funding streams e.g. central university funds, alumni donations, NHS funds.*
4. *How are these services funded (how much funding was received in the years 2019, 2020, 2021, and 2022) and how are funds allocated?*
5. *What was the average waiting time between a student requesting pastoral care for mental health issues, and receiving a first appointment/meeting/contact, in the academic years of 2019, 2020, 2021, and 2022?*
6. *How many students that were registered as attending University of Hull in the academic years of 2019, 2020, 2021, and 2022 died by suicide during their studies?*
7. *In each case, please provide any information you can on that student's contact with university pastoral care e.g. they were waiting for an appointment, had been seen by pastoral care, etc. before their death.*

Response

1.
 - 2019/20 – 1693
 - 20/21 – 1649
 - 21/22 – 1205
2. Budgets are not broken down in a way that allows us to answer this question, therefore data not held.
3. As per Q2.
4. As per Q2.
5. We do not collect this data, therefore data not held.
6. Without a coroner's verdict we would not be able to speculate on causes of death, therefore data not held.
7. As per Q6.