

## Request title: Immigration Enforcement

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Further to your Freedom of Information Act request, please find the Trust's response, in **blue bold text** below:

## Royal Devon's Eastern FOI Office Response

You have a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the Home of Office for the provision of an Immigration Enforcement Checking and Advice Service ('status checks').

The Home Office provides phone services, such as the Immigration Enforcement Checking and Advice Service, which Trusts can call to get information on a patient's immigration status to determine whether or not they need to be charged.

I'm looking for how many calls were made to check immigration status of patients, and what were the nationalities.

Please provide the following:

- 1. How many status immigration checks were made for each of the following years, by:
- Year 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022 (as of 1st July) and
- Nationality.

Whilst the Trust has a MOU in place for this service we have never used it.