





Duty of Candour Annual Report Template

Every healthcare professional must be open and honest with patients when something that goes wrong with their treatment or care causes, or has the potential to cause, harm or distress. Services must tell the patient, apologise, offer appropriate remedy or support and fully explain the effects to the patient.

As part of our responsibilities, we must produce an annual report to provide a summary of the number of times we have trigger duty of Candour within our service.

Name & address of service:	Westbourne Medical Studios Westbourne House 20 Lynedoch Crescent Glasgow G3 6EQ
Date of report:	9/10/2022
How have you made sure that you (and your staff) understand your responsibilities relating to the duty of candour and have systems in place to respond effectively? How have you done this?	Policy discussed at Induction of new Staff and revised annually.
Do you have a Duty of Candour Policy or written duty of candour procedure?	Yes

How many times have you/your service implemented the duty of candour procedure this financial year?		
Type of unexpected or unintended incidents (not relating to the natural	Number of times this has happened	
course of someone's illness or underlying conditions)	(April 18 - March 19)	
A person died	0	
A person incurred permanent lessening of bodily, sensory,	0	
motor, physiologic or intellectual functions		
A person's treatment increased	0	
The structure of a person's body changed	0	
A person's life expectancy shortened	0	
A person's sensory, motor or intellectual functions was impaired for 28 days or more	0	
A person experienced pain or psychological harm for 28 days or more	0	
A person needed health treatment in order to prevent them dying	0	
A person needing health treatment in order to prevent other injuries	0	
as listed above		
Total	0	