

# Timeline of VC's interaction with mental health services in Nottingham

## 2020

### May

- **24 May**  
First arrest/mental health presentation.  
Sent home following mental health assessment
- **24 May**  
Re-arrested (1 hour after discharge)
- **25 May**  
First detention under section 2 of the Mental Health Act 1983 (MHA) at  
Highbury Hospital

### June

- **17 June**  
Discharged to the crisis resolution home treatment (CRHT) team

- **30 June**

Care moved to the early intervention in psychosis (EIP) team

## July

- **11 July**

**VC's family contacts EIP team with concerns about his mental health**

Concerns recorded but no contact attempted

- **14 July**

Police incident. Second detention under the MHA (section 3) at Highbury Hospital

- **31 July**

Discharged from hospital to CRHT

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VC engaged with care services until August 2021, but concerns noted throughout the period around VC taking his medicine

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## August to October

- **15 August 2020**

Care moved to the EIP team

- **9 and 24 October**

- 2x contacts by VC's family**

- These were followed up by the EIP team

## 2021

### May

- **29 May 2021**

- Concerns raised by VC's family**

- Followed up by crisis team by phone

### August

- **19 August**

- VC's condition noted to be deteriorating and increasing lack of engagement from VC

### September

- **3 September**

- Taken to a place of safety under section 2 of the MHA

- **11 September**

- Third hospital admission to independent hospital (out of area) under section 2

### October

- **1 October**

- VC moved to independent hospital in Nottingham under section 3 of the MHA

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VC engagement with care services superficial and sporadic

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- **22 October**

Discharged back into the community

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**VC's family contacted the EIP team expressing dissatisfaction at not being informed that he was being discharged**

The discharge happened on a Friday with no crisis home treatment team input arranged over the weekend. The EIP team attempted to make a referral to the crisis resolution and home treatment team but they were unable to accept VC due to capacity due to an "influx in GP referrals over the weekend"

## 2022

### January

- **18 January**

VC detained at a place of safety following alleged assault on fellow student

- **19 January**

VC assessed for detention under the MHA but not detained as the assessing doctor felt he could be managed in the community and was not detainable

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VC disengages from mental health services and not taking medication.

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- **28 January**

Fourth hospital admission at Highbury Hospital (due to lack of concordance)

### February

- **24 February**

Discharged back to EIP team

## April

- **28 April**

Care coordination transferred from long standing care coordinator to two community psychiatric nurses due to concerns about risks

## September

- **23 September**

Discharged back to GP due to non-engagement. No further records.