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Dear

INFORMATION REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

We are now pleased to respond to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act.

You asked:

Under the Freedom of Information Act I would like to request the following information for the 2014-15 and 2015-16 financial years:

1. How many ophthalmology procedures were carried out on overseas residents in a) 2014-15 and b) 2015-16? - 2015-16 0 patient

2. Of these how many were emergency and therefore given priority for treatment in a) 2014-15 and b) 2015-16? 0 patient

3. What was a) the total cost of these procedures b) the highest individual cost of such a procedure in a) 2014-15 and b) 2015-16

nil

4. What were the associated translation costs in a) 2014-15 and b) 2015-16?

We do not record our translation costs to this level of granularity

5. a) How many of these patients were identified as having been chargeable patients, i.e. not entitled to receive free NHS care in a) 2014-15 and b) 2015-16?

N/A

b) What was the total cost of treating those chargeable patients in a) 2014-15 and b) 2015-16?

£0

6. Of that cost, how much was actually paid by the chargeable patients in a) 2014-15 and b) 2015-16?

£0

I hope you find this information useful, however if you are not entirely satisfied with this response please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department on 01257 488271. If we do not hear from you within 28 days we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,



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