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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:

Please provide the top three medical reasons for carrying out a hysterectomy procedure from 1st July 2014 to 1st July 2015, and the number of hysterectomies that were carried out for each reason from 1st July 2014 to 1st July 2015.

In total, how many hysterectomy procedures were carried out by your Trust from 1st July 2014 to 1st July 2015?

What proportion of women referred to the Trust for treatment for heavy periods underwent a hysterectomy between 1st July 2014 to 1st July 2015?

How many hysterectomies were carried out by your Trust as an abdominal hysterectomy from 1st July 2014, to 1st July 2015?

Please see the attached spreadsheet for the information you require.

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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