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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:

I am looking for information relating to any operations carried out that were concerned with Maxillofacial with particular emphasis on double jaw surgery, mandibular correction surgery. I am looking for the info that relates to the years of January 2012 to December 2015 inclusive and that shows how many operations were conducted, how many were successful and how many were involved with complications such as stroke etc.

OPCS	Procedure Description	2012	2013	2014	2015	Total
V068	Other specified excision of maxilla		2			2
V073	Excision of lesion of bone of face			1	5	6
V092	Reduction of fracture of nasal bone NEC	10	6	9	5	30
V115	Removal of fixation from bone of face	1	2	1		4
V138	Other specified other operations on bone of face	1			1	2
V143	Partial excision of mandible NEC			1		1
V144	Excision of lesion of mandible			1	1	2
V148	Other specified excision of mandible			1	1	2
V171	Intermaxillary fixation of mandible	1				1
V174	Removal of fixation from mandible	11	5	6	4	26
V194	Biopsy of lesion of mandible		2		1	3
V195	Manipulation of mandible NEC	1	4	1	2	8
V198	Other specified other operations on mandible		1	1	4	6
V212	Reduction of dislocation of temporomandibular joint	4	3	2	2	11
V218	Other specified other operations on temporomandibular joint	6	4	4	3	17
Total		35	29	28	29	121

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It is not reported if the surgery was successful, however no complications were recorded with any of these procedures

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,



Andrew Foster

Chief Executive

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