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Freedom of Information Act 2000

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to private healthcare procedures and surgery.

For the financial years 2012/13, 2013/14, 2014/15 and 2015/16, and to date in 2016/17,

- 1. What treatments, including procedures and surgery, were available privately at the Trust each year?*
- 2. How much income did the Trust receive from private patients each year?*
- 3. What were the average waiting times for the first outpatient appointment for a) private patients and b) NHS patients each year for referrals for the following?*

Knee replacement

Hip replacement

Cataract surgery

Vasectomy

Coronary artery bypass graft surgery

Angioplasty

- 4. What were the average waiting times from the first outpatient appointment to the date of treatment for a) private patients and b) NHS patients each year for the following?*

Knee replacement

Hip replacement

Cataract surgery

Vasectomy

Coronary artery bypass graft surgery

Angioplasty

1. This information can be found on the Trust website using the following link:
<http://www.mtw.nhs.uk/private-patients/>

2. This information can be found on the Trust website using the following link:
<http://www.mtw.nhs.uk/about-us/publications/>

3. Until the patient has had the Out Patient (OP) appointment it is not in our system if they are waiting for a particular procedure as the OP are not coded. The Trust is unable to give this information.

4. Please see the following tables:

<i>N.B. Coronary artery bypass graft surgery is not carried out at the Trust</i>					
Average Wait on list - NHS Patients	2012/2013	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016	2016 Apr-Aug
Angioplasty	26	28	30	41	55
Cataracts	85	73	66	59	55
Hip Replacement	113	82	68	91	132
Knee Replacement	130	95	76	105	138
Vasectomy	107	139	69	76	103

Average Wait on list - Private Patients	2012/2013	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016	2016 Apr-Aug
Angioplasty	17	14	8	17	13
Cataracts	7	10	9	16	20
Hip Replacement	25	20	17	10	8
Knee Replacement	15	12	31		67