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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 Knee/hip/cataract surgery 2015-2017.

- 1. Please state the median waiting time (Consult-led Referral to Treatment) at the Trust for the following procedures in A) 2015/16 and B) 2016/17:
- Knee arthroscopy
- Knee replacement surgery
- Hip arthroscopy
- Hip replacement surgery
- Cataract surgery
- 2. Please state the longest time a patient waited for each of the following procedures in A) 2015/16 and B) 2016/17.

(If providing the longest wait time would include statistical errors, please provide the 99th percentile):

- Knee arthroscopy
- Knee replacement surgery
- Hip arthroscopy
- Hip replacement surgery
- Cataract surgery

Please see the following tables:

1. Please state the median waiting time (Consult-led Referral to Treatment) at the Trust

(N.B. Adm method 11 or 12 for RTT only)

| Median Average days on list | 2015/2016 | 2016/2017 |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Knee arthroscopy | 73 | 114.5 |
| Knee Replacements | 97 | 119 |
| Hip arthroscopy* | | 334 |
| Hip Replacements | 86 | 119.5 |

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- $\ ^*$ N.B. This is one patient only in 16/17 who was on the waiting list for 334 days
- 2. Please state the longest time a patient waited for each of the procedures

| Longest wait in days | 2015/2016 | 2016/2017 |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Knee arthroscopy | 176 | 242 |
| Knee Replacements | 343 | 397 |
| Hip arthroscopy | | 334 |
| Hip Replacements | 251 | 330 |
| Cataract Operations | 338 | 331 |