

Ref: FOI/GS/ID 6365

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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 the treatment of inflammatory bowel disease.

You asked:

- 1. How many times on average did inflammatory bowel disease (IBD) patients go to their GP with symptoms before they were diagnosed at a hospital in your trust in the last five years (inclusive)?
- 2. On average, how many times were IBD patients referred to a specialist by their GP before an eventual diagnosis was made in the last five years (inclusive)?
- 3. What proportion of patients in the last five years (inclusive) required an A&E visit as a result of their disease between their first contact with a GP and receiving a positive diagnosis?
- 4. What proportion of patients had their IBD treatment fail in the last five years?
- 5. What proportion of patients and how many in total underwent an emergency or elective colectomy in the last five years?
- 6. What proportion of colectomies in the last five years was as a result of treatment failure?
- 7. What was the success rate of elective and emergency colectomy in the last five years?
- 8. What is the average per captia cost of treatments for IBD per patient at your trust?
- 9. What is the mortality rate for IBD patients at your trust?
- 10. How many colectomy surgeries have been postponed due COVID-19 measures taken by the trust, and what proportion is this of the planned total number?

Trust response:

1. No audit data. This will need a case note review of all patients referred. The Trust has estimated that it will cost more than the appropriate limit to consider this part of your request. The appropriate limit is specified in regulations and represents the estimated cost of one person spending 3½ working days in determining whether the Trust holds the information, locating, retrieving and extracting the information. Under Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 the Trust is not obliged to comply with this part of your request and we will not be processing this part of your request further.

2. No audit data. Teasing this out will need a case note review of all patients referred more than once as a new patient in the last 5 years and now with an IBD diagnosis. The Trust has estimated that it will cost more than the appropriate limit to consider this part of your request. The appropriate limit is specified in regulations and represents the estimated cost of one person spending 3½ working days in determining whether the Trust holds the information, locating, retrieving and extracting the information. Under Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 the Trust is not obliged to comply with this part of your request and we will not be processing this part of your request further.

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4. Pharmacy do not keep records of failed treatment, we record patient switches which could also be intolerance of medication and will not give an accurate figure. 5.

Count of DistrictNumber				contract_year 🔽				
ActivityType2	Prim_Proc -1	Procedure Detail	-	2016/2017	2017/2018	2018/2019	2019/2020	2020/2022
Elective	<b>⊟ H041</b>	PANPROCTOCOLECTOMY AND ILEOSTOMY			1	3	5	1
	🗏 H042	PANPROCTOCOLECTOMY AND ANASTOMOSIS OF ILEUM TO ANUS AND CREA			1		1	
	<b>⊟ H331</b>	ABDOMINOPERINEAL EXCISION OF RECTUM AND END COLOSTOMY		12	19	15	24	11
	🗏 H333	ANTERIOR RESECTION OF RECTUM AND ANASTOMOSIS OF COLON TO REC		66	31	23	26	13
	<b>⊟ H334</b>	ANTERIOR RESECTION OF RECTUM AND ANASTOMOSIS NEC		4	5	2	3	3
	🗏 H335	RECTOSIGMOIDECTOMY AND CLOSURE OF RECTAL STUMP AND EXTERIORI		27	13	11	10	10
	<b>⊟ H336</b>	ANTERIOR RESECTION OF RECTUM AND EXTERIORISATION OF BOWEL		14	21	34	39	18
Elective Total				123	91	88	108	56
Non Elective	⊟ H041	PANPROCTOCOLECTOMY AND ILEOSTOMY		1				
	🗏 H333	ANTERIOR RESECTION OF RECTUM AND ANASTOMOSIS OF COLON TO REC		2	1	2		
	🗏 H335	RECTOSIGMOIDECTOMY AND CLOSURE OF RECTAL STUMP AND EXTERIORI		36	27	30	20	37
	🗏 H336	ANTERIOR RESECTION OF RECTUM AND EXTERIORISATION OF BOWEL			2	1	1	1
Non Elective Total				39	30	33	21	38
Total				162	121	121	129	94

6. No audit data. This will need a case note review of all patients. The Trust has estimated that it will cost more than the appropriate limit to consider this part of your request. The appropriate limit is specified in regulations and represents the estimated cost of one person spending 3½ working days in determining whether the Trust holds the information, locating, retrieving and extracting the information. Under Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 the Trust is not obliged to comply with this part of your request and we will not be processing this part of your request further.

7. The Trust is not sure if this relates to mortality or cure. Please confirm if you would like us to respond.

8. Pharmacy + surgical + CNS + admin + consultant PAs + secretarial time as proportion of consultant PA. This figure would vary from case to case.

9. The Trust does not routinely collect this information. This will need an audit to determine the figures. The Trust has estimated that it will cost more than the appropriate limit to consider this part of your request. The appropriate limit is specified in regulations and represents the estimated cost of one person spending 3½ working days in determining whether the Trust holds the information, locating, retrieving and extracting the information. Under Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 the Trust is not obliged to comply with this part of your request and we will not be processing this part of your request further.

10. Please note the following caveats:

During the first wave all activity was suspended (not cancelled) for 12 weeks (including colorectal elective) due to the uncertainty of the new Virus; this was national guideline/response.

A lot of the cancellations in November are moving of patients onto COVD lists. This was the time that the Trust were about to start rationalising our operating lists due to the second wave.

In January there were a large amount of cancellations to allow for patients to have their vaccine.

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SpecialtyDescription	(All) (All)	-												
OperationTypeDescription	(All)	•												
Count of CasenoteNumber			DateCancelled	Ŧ										
		∃ 2020										021		Total
ProcedureText2		,⊥ Jan	Feb		Apr Ma	iy Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep O	ct Nov	Dec Ja	an Ma	r Apr	
B LAPAROSCOPIC RIGHT HEMICOLECTOMY	moved lists			2										2
	move to COVDA									1				1
	her throat is a little hoarse.											1		1
	consultant sickness								1					1
	pt is receiving treatment in hospital and is unfit for this procedure				1									1
	PT is going onto a different consulant lsit									1				1
	CANX DUE TO COVID-19			1									_	1
	moving ti COVDA list									1				1
	moving to COVDA list									1				1
	Pt now having tci 31/12										1			1
	needs covid vaccine											1		1
	wants to see in clinic			1										1
	same day different list						1							1
	moved 02/04/2020			1										1
LAPAROSCOPIC RIGHT HEMICOLECTOMY Total				5	1		1		1	4	1	1 1		15
										1				1
	needs further test and to be seen in OPA								1	1				1
	moved to 02/04/2020			1										1
						1								1
	not enough time for surgery due to covid 19 guidlines									1				1
	moved to another list					1								1
	moved lists			1										1
OPEN RIGHT HEMICOLECTOMY Total				2		2			1	L 2				7
LAPAROSCOPIC EXTENDED RIGHT HEMICOLECTOMY	wrong list												1	1
	moved to 19/03/2021											1		1
	moved lists			1										1
LAPAROSCOPIC EXTENDED RIGHT HEMICOLECTOMY Total				1								1	1	3
■ LAPAROSCOPIC AR/ SIGMOID COLECTOMY +/- DEF STOMA	PT having surgery by another consuaInt									1				1
	move to COVDA									1				1
	pt tci now for 02/12									1				1
LAPAROSCOPIC AR/ SIGMOID COLECTOMY +/- DEF STOMA Total	p									3				3
B LAPAROSCOPIC/OPEN RIGHT HEMICOLECTOMY	needs a colon		1											1
	07apr		-		1									1
	moved lists			1	1									1
LAPAROSCOPIC/OPEN RIGHT HEMICOLECTOMY Total			1	1	1								_	3
B SIGMOID COLECTOMY	cancelled due to covid-19		1	-	-	1								1
		1				1								1
SIGMOID COLECTOMY Total	needs Danny input	1				1								2
LAPAROSCOPIC / Open Completion colectomy	move to COVDA	-				-				1				1
										1			_	1
	pt tci canclled due to consualnt needs to cover another urgent pt									2				2
LAPAROSCOPIC / Open Completion colectomy Total	DT soude souid 40 usesias hafe as surgers									2		1		
	PT needs covid 19 vaccine before surgery						4					1		1
	cannot do this day						1							1
RIGHT HEMICOLECTOMY Total	DT concelled on to wront of to co			1			1	1				1		2
LAPAROSCOPIC SIGMOID COLECTOMY	PT cancelled as to urgent pt to go on							1						1
	con sick									1				1
LAPAROSCOPIC SIGMOID COLECTOMY Total	di stanta tata contra			1				1		1				2
Laparoscopic Left Hemicolectomy	dupilcate information									1				1
	same day differentiation and the security of t	tt							1					1
Laparoscopic Left Hemicolectomy Total	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·								1	1				2
B LAPAROSCOPIC RADICAL RIGHT HEMICOLECTOMY	cons req Telephone 01622 720000 / 01802 823535										1			1
LAPAROSCOPIC RADICAL RIGHT HEMICOLECTOMY Total				_							1			1
RIGHT HEMICOLECTOMY+/-LAPAROSCOPIC CHOLECYSTECTOMY	was operated on as an emergency over the weekend							1						1
RIGHT HEMICOLECTOMY+/-LAPAROSCOPIC CHOLECYSTECTOMY Total								1						1
B LAPAROSCOPIC/OPEN SIGMOID COLECTOMY+HARTMANS	moved to 07/04/2020		1											1
LAPAROSCOPIC/OPEN SIGMOID COLECTOMY+HARTMANS Total			1											1
ELAPARTOMY COLECYTOMY +/- STOMA PRIMARY ANATOMSIS + MESH CLOSURE	had the operation as an emergency this week								1	L				1

SpecialtyDescription	(Multiple Items)	T.										
OperationTypeDescription	(All)	<b>-</b>										
Count of CasenoteNumber		Years	<ul> <li>DateCancelled</li> </ul>	<b>-</b>								
		□ 2020								⊟202	1	Total
ProcedureText2	CancellationReasonText	Jan	Feb	Mar	May	lun	Iul (	Sep No	v De			10101
LAPAROSCOPIC ANTERIOR RESECTION +/- ILESTOMY	move ton COVDA	Jun	100	inai	inay	54.1	54. 6			Jan	IVICI	1
	claire gave wrong pt infor for tci not for this pt								. 1			1
	moved to 3COVD								-	1		1
	pt been changed to 09/12							1				1
	cons req							-+	1			1
	tci will be under simon bailey on the 02/12q							1				1
LAPAROSCOPIC ANTERIOR RESECTION +/- ILESTOMY Total									2	1		6
OPEN ANTERIOR RESECTION +/- LOOP ILESTOMY	moved to 3COVD								2	1		1
	covid swab was positive					┢──┦		$\rightarrow$		1	$\rightarrow$	1
	moved date to 11/01					┢──┦		$\rightarrow$	1	1	$\rightarrow$	1
OPEN ANTERIOR RESECTION +/- LOOP ILESTOMY Total									1	2		3
LAPAROSCOPIC ANTERIOR RESECTION+/-ILEOSTOMY	would like it after her holiday	1					$\vdash$	—	-	-		1
	not urgent			1		$\vdash$	$\vdash$	+			$\rightarrow$	1
	PATIENT REQUIRED REFERRAL TO ANOTHER DEPT, BEFORE		1	-						-		1
	SURGERY COULD TAKE PLACE		-									-
LAPAROSCOPIC ANTERIOR RESECTION+/-ILEOSTOMY Total		1	1	1								3
BHIGH ANTERIOR RESECTION+/-DEF STOMA	same day different list	-	±	-			1					1
	pt is going back to Hong Kong to have procedure done				1		-					1
	No covid swab result available				-		1					1
HIGH ANTERIOR RESECTION+/-DEF STOMA Total					1		2					3
LAPAROSCOPIC ANTERIOR RESECTION	same day different list				-		1					1
	does not meet the criteria			1			-					1
	not going ahead			-			1					1
LAPAROSCOPIC ANTERIOR RESECTION Total				1			2					3
OPEN LOW ANTERIOR RESECTION + STOMA APER	Cancelled due to Covid-19 Escalation			-						1		1
	moved for 22/01								1	-		1
	moved to 3COVD								-	1		1
OPEN LOW ANTERIOR RESECTION + STOMA APER Total									1	2		3
□ LAPAROSCOPIC/OPEN ANTERIOR RESECTION/SIGMOID +/-STOMA	Waiting for results for biopsy							_		1	_	1
	moved to 3COVD									1		1
LAPAROSCOPIC/OPEN ANTERIOR RESECTION/SIGMOID +/-STOMA										2		2
Total										_		_
OPEN ANTERIOR RESECTION DEFUNCTIONING ILEOSTOMY	moved to 01/04/2020			1				_				1
	moved lists			1			$\vdash$	-+			-+	1
OPEN ANTERIOR RESECTION DEFUNCTIONING ILEOSTOMY Total				2								2
OPEN ANTERIOR RESECTION	TCI cancelled as pt needs covid 19 vaccine									1		1
	moved to 3COVD							$\neg$		1		1
OPEN ANTERIOR RESECTION Total										2		2
LAPAROSCOPIC ANTERIOR RESECTION	TBA	one, Kent IVII	10 900							1		1
	Telephone: 01622 729000 / 01892 823535 moved to 3COVD									1		1
LAPAROSCOPIC ANTERIOR RESECTION Total										2		2
□ LAPAROSCOPIC ANTERIOR RESECTION +/- ILESTOMY	moved to covda list							1				1
	pt date changed tip 09/12							1			$\neg$	1
LAPAROSCOPIC ANTERIOR RESECTION +/- ILESTOMY Total								2				2

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SpecialtyDescription	(Multiple Items)							
OperationTypeDescription	(All)							
Count of CasenoteNumber		Years 🔻	DateCancelled <					
		⊟ 2020					∃ 2021	Total
ProcedureText2	CancellationReasonText 🖵	Jan	Feb	Mar	May	Oct	Mar	
EXCISION OF ABDOMINAL MESH	moving to another list		1					1
	going on another list as requsted by		1					1
	consulant							i i
	needs to be done in main theatre		1					1
EXCISION OF ABDOMINAL MESH Total			3					3
CYSTIC INCISION OF ABDOMINAL WALL	problem has dissappeared		1					1
CYSTIC INCISION OF ABDOMINAL WALL Total			1					1
LARGE LOWER ABDOMINAL INCISIONAL HERNIA REPAIR	not fit to proceed being sent back to GP					1		1
LARGE LOWER ABDOMINAL INCISIONAL HERNIA REPAIR Total						1		1
E LAPAROTOMY, REPAIR OF ABDOMINAL WALL DEHISCENCE	temperature, needs ct				1			1
LAPAROTOMY, REPAIR OF ABDOMINAL WALL DEHISCENCE Total					1			1
EXCISION OF A LARGE ABDOMINAL WALL LESIONS	needs ECHO	1						1
EXCISION OF A LARGE ABDOMINAL WALL LESIONS Total		1						1
GOPEN MESH REPAIR INCISIONAL HERNIA (RIGHT SIDE ABDOMINAL WALL)	moved to 29th list						1	1
OPEN MESH REPAIR INCISIONAL HERNIA (RIGHT SIDE ABDOMINAL WALL) Total							1	1
ABDOMINAL PERITONEAL EXCISION	moved lists			1				1
ABDOMINAL PERITONEAL EXCISION Total				1				1
B LAPAROTOMY ABDOMINAL PERINEAL EXCISION WITH POSTERIOR VAGINAL WALL EXCISION+PLASTIC	changing date as requested by consulant		1					1
SURGICAL RECONSTRUCTION								
LAPAROTOMY ABDOMINAL PERINEAL EXCISION WITH POSTERIOR VAGINAL WALL EXCISION+PLASTIC			1					1
SURGICAL RECONSTRUCTION Total								
Total		1	5	1	1	1	1	10

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