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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 Cancelled operations.

You asked:
a) How many operations in total has your Trust cancelled from 1 March 2020 - 1 March 2021 and can you give a breakdown of reasons for the cancellations? How many were urgent operations?
b) How many operations in total has your Trust cancelled from 1 March 2019 - 28 February 2020 and can you give a breakdown of reasons for the cancellations? How many were urgent operations?
c) How many operations in total has your trust cancelled for Under 16s from 1 March 2020 - 1 March 2021 and can you give a breakdown of reasons for the cancellations? How many were urgent operations?
d) How many operations in total has your trust cancelled for Under 16s from 1 March 2019 - 28 February 2020 and can you give a breakdown of reasons for the cancellations? How many were urgent operations?

Trust response:
Please note:

We cannot split this data by age as it is not recorded in the source dataset.
We do not record the urgency of the operation for this return.

Please see the following tables.

Reason	Mar-19	Apr-19	May-19	Jun-19	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	Nov-19	Dec-19	Jan-20	Feb-20
ADMIN ERROR	4	4	6	3	6	5	5	2	2	2	3	5
EMERGENCY INTERRUPTION	1	6	2			3			5	1	3	2
EQUIPMENT FAILURE	2		2		4	1	3	3	4		10	2
LIST OVERRUN		2				2	10	2	6	7	11	8
NO ANAESTHETIST AVAILABLE		1	2	1				3	1		1	
NO HDU/ITU BEDS						2	2	5				
NO TIME	14	9	12	4	2	4						
OTHER REPORTABLE	4	3	5	2	1	8	8	4	15	6		6
SURGON/CONSULTANT NOT AVAILABLE		1	1	2	6	3		5		1		1

Reason	Mar-20	Apr-20	May-20	Jun-20	Jul-20	Aug-20	Sep-20	Oct-20	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21
ADMIN ERROR	1			2	1	1	1	5	4	4			
EMERGENCY INTERRUPTION	1						1	1	6				
EQUIPMENT FAILURE					1	1			3				1
LIST OVERRUN	2			2	4	4	5	4	6	5		4	3
NO ANAESTHETIST AVAILABLE				1					2				
NO HDU/ITU BEDS									1				
OTHER REPORTABLE	1			2	1	3	6	5	4	4	3	2	9
SURGON/CONSULTANT NOT AVAILABLE							1		1				