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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 Primary hip replacement.

You asked:
Please provide the following data for each year for your trust for 2017, 2018, 2021 and 2022 (year so far)

1. Average length of inpatient stay of Primary hip replacement patients postsurgery
2. Number of ITU admissions post primary hip replacement
3. ASA grades per patient that have had Primary hip replacement
4. Cancellations of primary hip replacements

If this dataset exceeds that allowed time for FOI's, then please focus on the average length of stay data

Trust response:
1.

| $2017 / 2018$ | $2018 / 2019$ | $2019 / 2020$ | $2020 / 2021$ | $2021 / 2022$ | $2022 / 2023$ |
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| 20.1 | 16.9 | 12.9 | 10.3 | 11.9 | 14.6 |

2. 

| $2017 / 2018$ | $2018 / 2019$ | $2019 / 2020$ | $2020 / 2021$ | $2021 / 2022$ | $2022 / 2023$ |
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| 1 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 4 |

3. It may be possible that this information has been entered into the patient record but in order to confirm this each patient record would need to be manually checked by a clinical staff member. 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 $31 / 2$ 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.
4. Please note: these figures are a summary of the reportable hospital cancellations for non-clinical reasons as per the QMCO guidelines

| $2017-18$ | $2018-19$ | $2019-20$ | $2020-21$ | $2021-22$ | $2022-23$ |
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| 6 | 2 | 10 | 5 | 7 | 4 |

