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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 Endometriosis.

*You asked: All questions are shown as received by the Trust.*

*1) The number of women who have been diagnosed with Endometriosis between 2019 to 2023 (i.e. 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023)*

*2) Of these number of women diagnosed with Endometriosis, how many are (using the NHS Directory for Ethnic Categories):*

- a) White British*
- b) White Irish*
- c) White - Any Other White Background*
- d) Mixed - White and Black Caribbean*
- e) Mixed - White and Black African*
- f) Mixed - White and Asian*
- g) Mixed - Any other mixed background*
- h) Asian or Asian British - Indian*
- j) Asian or Asian British - Pakistani*
- k) Asian or Asian British - Bangladeshi*
- l) Asian or Asian British - Any other Asian background*
- m) Black or Black British - Any other Black background*
- n) Black or Black British-Caribbean*
- p) Black or Black British - African*
- n) Other ethnic groups - Chinese*
- r) Other ethnic groups - Any other ethnic group*
- s) Not Stated*
- 99) Not Known*

*3) The number of female patients who have been issued/received referrals for gynaecological care at any of the local hospitals under your NHS Trust.*

4) *The number of female patients awaiting a referral appointment (i.e. are still on the waiting list) for any hospital/specialist centre (whichever is applicable) under your NHS Trust for gynaecological care.*

Trust response:

1. Please note: The Trust only have diagnosis codes (ICD10) for each admitted episode (not Out Patient). There have been 2,081 distinct patients were admitted with a diagnosis of endometriosis in the requested time frame however, we cannot say when they received their diagnosis.

2.

a) White British - 1462

b) White Irish - 4

c) White - Any Other White Background - 238

d) Mixed - White and Black Caribbean - 4

e) Mixed - White and Black African - 0

f) Mixed - White and Asian - 5

g) Mixed - Any other mixed background - 23

h) Asian or Asian British – Indian - 13

j) Asian or Asian British – Pakistani - 2

k) Asian or Asian British – Bangladeshi - 3

l) Asian or Asian British - Any other Asian background - 23

m) Black or Black British - Any other Black background - 4

n) Black or Black British-Caribbean - 12

p) Black or Black British – African -13

n) Other ethnic groups – Chinese - 0

r) Other ethnic groups - Any other ethnic group - 5

s) Not Stated - 157

99) Not Known – 0

3. Using the same timeframe as Q1 there have been 46,035 referrals for national spec code 502 (Gynaecology).

4. 4,436 as of 31/03/2024