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Address / Email:

Request Under Freedom of Information Act

2000

Thank you for requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Please see the details of your request and our response;

Request

1. ***How many claims were lodged against the trust where one of the injury codes was a hospital-acquired infection? (Broken down by years: 2021/22, 2022/23, 2023/24)***
 - a) ***How many of these claims were successful? (Broken down by years: 2021/22, 2022/23, 2023/24)***
2. ***How much has the trust had to pay out to successful claims? (Broken down by years: 2021/22, 2022/23, 2023/24)***

Response

The Trust is unable to provide this information.

Claims information is recorded but there is no category or sub-category in the Claims database for 'injury codes' or 'hospital acquired' to enable us to run reports for the information requested.

If you are dissatisfied with our response, you have the right to appeal in line with guidance from the Information Commissioner. In the first instance you may contact the Information Governance Manager of the Trust.

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Should you disagree with the contents of our response to your appeal, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioners Office at.

Information Commissioners Office
Wycliffe House
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If you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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