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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST 012578 – Dinitrophenol

I would like data relating to Dinitrophenol which is often used by people as a weight loss pill.

I would like the following.

- 1. For each of the past financial years (2010/11 to 14/15) please list the number of patients who have attended accident and emergency after suffering ill effects from taking Dinitrophenol (DNP)**
- 2. For each of the past five financial years please list the number of patients admitted to a ward after taking DNP.**
- 3. For each of the past five years please list the number of patients who have died in hospital after taking DNP.**

The clinical coding for Emergency Department attendances and admitted patients is not sufficiently granular to identify specific substances such as DNP.

More detailed information would be available in individual patient records, information which is not available under the Freedom of Information Act.