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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST FOI/013028 – Acupuncture

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, please provide the following for the years 2010 to 2015 inclusive:

1. The names of the hospitals, clinics or other settings in which you provided acupuncture treatments.

Russell's Hall Hospital
Corbett Ambulatory Care Centre
Guest Ambulatory Care Centre
St James Medical Centre
Stourbridge Health and Social Care Centre
Brierley Hill Health and Social Care Centre
Halesowen Health Centre
Meadowbrook Medical Practice

2. The number of acupuncture treatments provided and the number of patients treated at each of these locations. - Information is not collected

3. The types of clinicians who provided these treatments, eg physiotherapists, doctors, acupuncturists. - Physiotherapists

4. The total cost of providing acupuncture treatments at each of these locations - Information is not broken down to identify specific type of treatment

5. The cost of acupuncture needles purchased included in the total cost
2010 – 2011 Price per box of 100 needles = £2.95, Total Spend = £191.75
2011 – 2012 Price per box of 100 needles = £2.95, Total spend - £1144.60
2012 – 2013 Price per box of 100 needles = £2.95, Total spend = £1038.40
2013 – 2014 Price per box of 100 needles = £3.25, Total spend = £942.50
2014 – 2015 Price per box of 100 needles = £3.25, Total spend = £455.00

For further information go to the Trust website <http://dudleygroup.nhs.uk/services-and-wards/physiotherapy/>