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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST FOI/013935 – CT & MRI

Could you please confirm the below in regards to radiography reporting.

What was the total spend on outsourcing plain film reporting services in 2015? - NIL

What was the total spend on outsourcing plain film reporting services in 2016? - NIL

What was the total spend on outsourcing plain film reporting services in 2017? - £65,253.04

What was the total number of plain film reports completed, from all referral sources (e.g. GP, Accident and Emergency, In Patients, Out Patients), by the Trust in 2015?

During 2015, 147147 plain film exams were reported

What was the total number of plain film reports completed, from all referral sources (e.g. GP, Accident and Emergency, In Patients, Out Patients), by the Trust in 2016?

During 2016, 152158 plain film exams were reported

What was the total number of plain film reports completed, from all referral sources (e.g. GP, Accident and Emergency, In Patients, Out Patients), by the Trust in 2017?

During 2017, 149079 plain film exams were reported

What was the total number of plain film examinations that were outsourced (therefore reported by an external company) in 2015?

During 2015, 401 plain film exams were reported externally

What was the total number of plain film examinations that were outsourced (therefore reported by an external company) in 2016?

During 2016, 337 plain film exams were reported externally

What was the total number of plain film examinations that were outsourced (therefore reported by an external company) in 2017?

During 2017, 19977 plain film exams were reported externally

What was the total number of CT and/or MRI reports completed by the Trust in 2015?

During 2015, 24066 CT and 21373 MRI exams were reported

What was the total number of CT and/or MRI reports completed by the Trust in 2016?

During 2016, 24743 CT and 22521 MRI exams were reported

What was the total number of CT and/or MRI reports completed by the Trust in 2017?

During 2017, 27816 CT and 23357 MRI exams were reported

What was the total number of CT and/or MRI examinations that were outsourced (therefore reported by an external company) in 2015?

During 2015, 2578 CT and 226 MRI exams were reported externally

What was the total number of CT and/or MRI examinations that were outsourced (therefore reported by an external company) in 2016?

During 2016, 4169 CT and 344 MRI exams were reported externally

What was the total number of CT and/or MRI examinations that were outsourced (therefore reported by an external company) in 2017?

During 2017, 4898 CT and 2072 MRI exams were reported externally

What was the total spend on outsourcing CT and/or MRI reporting services in 2015? - £16,564.24

What was the total spend on outsourcing CT and/or MRI reporting services in 2016? - £217,921.37

What was the total spend on outsourcing CT and/or MRI reporting services in 2017? - £255,049.47

What was the average settlement paid to a patient in regards to a malpractice or clinical negligence claim for a misdiagnosed plain film report in 2017?

What was the average settlement paid to a patient in regards to a malpractice or clinical negligence claim for a misdiagnosed CT and/or MRI report in 2017?

The Trust is informed of the total settlement costs paid out which would include solicitors costs etc, and therefore we cannot provide the average costs of the settlement that get paid to individual patients