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**Address / Email:**

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**Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

Thank you for requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

**Request**

Please provide information relating to the questions below for the machine types and years listed,

Years: 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022.

Machine types: MRI scanner, PET scanner, CT scanner, linear accelerator (LINAC) and surgical robots (both Versius and Da Vinci).

- For each year and for each machine type, how many units were owned or leased? (Please also provide dates for new machines that were either commissioned or decommissioned within a year).
- For each machine that was either owned or leased between 2018 and 2022, please disclose a) the date of purchase, b) the capital value and c) whether the machine was still in use at the end of 2022 and, if not, the date it was decommissioned.
- For each year and for each machine type, please provide details on the number of times they were used.
- For each year and for each machine type, please provide details on their availability for use by number of scans/treatments/operations/procedures (apply when relevant).

**Response**

2019-2022

MRI scanners x 3

CT scanners x 3

Davinci Robot x0

All scanners are managed by the Trust's Private Finance Initiative Partner. To see more details on the Trust's PFI Partner please go to the Trust website [Private Finance Initiative partners - The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust \(dgft.nhs.uk\)](https://www.dgft.nhs.uk/private-finance-initiative-partners)

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Questions 5 and 6, numbers cannot be extracted per machine only MRIs and CTs performed in total, see details below :

	2019	2020	2021	2022	Grand Total
Modality_Name					
CT	29603	28808	35352	40545	134308
MRI	22467	16900	21028	24424	84819
Grand Total	52070	45708	56380	64969	219127

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If you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

**Freedom of Information Team**  
**The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust**

