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Address / Email:

Dear

Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000

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

Request

The number of patients at your trust waiting for treatment that are not included in the publically released Referral to Treatment (RTT) waiting times data.

Response

The current number of distinct patients who are currently on waiting lists for treatment that are not submitted on our RTT national submission is 5735.

However, this is a count of patients, the number includes patients that do not fall into the remit of RTT reporting (i.e. they are non-consultant let pathways) as well as patients that were once reported as an RTT pathway but since have had their first definitive treatment, the RTT clock has stopped, and they are now waiting for follow up treatment.

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.

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

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Team
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