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With reference to your FOI request in connection with 'Head injuries' please see response below.

How many patients have been treated at your Trust's hospital(s) for head injuries directly associated with sporting incidents.

* Specific detail on the severity/nature of each head injury, the sport which caused it (where recorded) and the outcome.

This request relates to the following time period:

* Each year for the last five years

The Trust does not have a code to specify what the sport was, we only have a code saying "Occurrence at sports/athletics area"

Year	Number of Head Injuries at Sports/Athletics Area
2010	23
2011	32
2012	29
2013	20
2014	19
Grand Total	123

In terms of outcome, all 123 of the patients were discharged. This is the lowest level of detail we have in the database.

In terms of specifying "head injury", all of the below codes are included.

S000: Superficial injury of scalp

S001: Contusion of eyelid and periocular area

S002: Other superficial injuries of eyelid and periocular area

S003: Superficial injury of nose

S004: Superficial injury of ear

S005: Superficial injury of lip and oral cavity

S007: Multiple superficial injuries of head

S008: Superficial injury of other parts of head

S009: Superficial injury of head, part unspecified

S010: Open wound of scalp

S011: Open wound of eyelid and periocular area

S012: Open wound of nose

S013: Open wound of ear

S014: Open wound of cheek and temporomandibular area

S015: Open wound of lip and oral cavity

S017: Multiple open wounds of head

S018: Open wound of other parts of head

S019: Open wound of head, part unspecified

S020: Fracture of vault of skull

S021: Fracture of base of skull

S022: Fracture of nasal bones

S023: Fracture of orbital floor

S024: Fracture of malar and maxillary bones

S025: Fracture of tooth

S026: Fracture of mandible

S027: Multiple fractures involving skull and facial bones

S028: Fractures of other skull and facial bones

S029: Fracture of skull and facial bones, part unspecified

S030: Dislocation of jaw

S031: Dislocation of septal cartilage of nose

S032: Dislocation of tooth

S033: Dislocation of other and unspecified parts of head

S034: Sprain and strain of jaw

S035: Sprain and strain joints ligs other and unspec parts head

S040: Injury of optic nerve and pathways

S041: Injury of oculomotor nerve

S042: Injury of trochlear nerve

S043: Injury of trigeminal nerve

S044: Injury of abducent nerve

S045: Injury of facial nerve

S046: Injury of acoustic nerve

S047: Injury of accessory nerve

S048: Injury of other cranial nerves

S049: Injury of unspecified cranial nerve

S050: Injury conjunctiva corneal abras without ment foreign body

S051: Contusion of eyeball and orbital tissues

S052: Ocular lacn and rupture with prolapse or loss intraoc tiss

S053: Ocular lacn without prolapse or loss of intraocular tissue

S054: Penetrating wound of orbit with or without foreign body

S055: Penetrating wound of eyeball with foreign body

S056: Penetrating wound of eyeball without foreign body

S057: Avulsion of eye

S058: Other injuries of eye and orbit

S059: Injury of eye and orbit, part unspecified

S060: Concussion

S061: Traumatic cerebral oedema

S062: Diffuse brain injury

S063: Focal brain injury

S064: Epidural haemorrhage

S065: Traumatic subdural haemorrhage

S066: Traumatic subarachnoid haemorrhage

S067: Intracranial injury with prolonged coma

S068: Other intracranial injuries

S069: Intracranial injury, unspecified

S070: Crushing injury of face

S071: Crushing injury of skull

S078: Crushing injury of other parts of head

S079: Crushing injury of head, part unspecified

S080: Avulsion of scalp

S081: Traumatic amputation of ear

S088: Traumatic amputation of other parts of head

S089: Traumatic amputation of unspecified part of head

S090: Injury of blood vessels of head, not elsewhere classified

S091: Injury of muscle and tendon of head

S092: Traumatic rupture of ear drum

S097: Multiple injuries of head

S098: Other specified injuries of head

S099: Unspecified injury of head