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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST FOI/014038 – Urinary incontinence

Please can I request the following information under the Freedom of Information Act:

1.How many sheaths does your Trust use on average per patient per day?

Individual to every patient but average of 2 to 4 per day

2.What is the average length of stay for patients using a urinary sheath?

This does not affect length of stay as products are available in the community to manage incontinence.

3. Of the total number of male patients with urinary incontinence what percentage would use:

a) Urinary incontinence pads- 70%

b) Urinary sheaths- 30%

These percentages are based on acute ward average usage