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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, please see response below.

Under the Freedom of Information Act, I would like to request the following information:

1. Has your NHS Trust purchased InSpace subacromial balloon spacer (Stryker) devices used for shoulder surgery for rotator cuff tears between 1st January 2013 to 1st January 2026? - **No**

If so, how many devices? – **N/A**

2. How much money has your NHS Trust spent on Inspace subacromial balloon spacer (Stryker) devices purchased between 1st January 2013 to 1st January 2026? - **0**

3. How many Inspace subacromial balloon spacer (Stryker) devices have been used in surgeries / procedures conducted by your NHS Trust between 1st January 2013 to 1st January 2026? - **0**

4. How is the use of Inspace subacromial balloon spacer (Stryker) devices coded by your Trust?
- **W81.7 Insertion of therapeutic spacer joint, is the code used for all balloon spacers, there is no specific code for individual types of balloon spacers**

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

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