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Dear

RE: Freedom of Information request

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which was received by the Trust on 15/05/2023. Please see responses to your requests below.

please can you provide as close as possible relating to Urology.

1. Breakdown of the number of patients per month for the last 12 months that have come in for a procedure.

The Trust can confirm that we do hold the information you have requested, however this information is exempt under section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act because it is reasonably accessible to you and we are pleased to inform you that you can access the information via the Hospital Episode Statistics (HES) website, please see link below:

[Statistics » Consultant-led Referral to Treatment Waiting Times Data 2022-23 \(england.nhs.uk\)](https://www.hes.nhs.uk/statistics/consultant-led-referral-to-treatment-waiting-times-data-2022-23)

2. The date they were referred.

Please see answer in question 1.

3. When they were operated on.

Please see answer in question 1.

4. Average waiting time per month between referral date of procedure.

Please see answer in question 1.

5. Do they have outpatient appointments? If so, how many?

Yes, the number will vary depending on the patient. The average number of attendances within Urology between 1st of April 2022 and 31st of March 2023 was two appointments for each patient.

6. The number of missed or DNA appointments for the department.

Within the Trust's Urology department between 1st of April 2022 and 31st of March 2023 there were 2071 DNA's.

7. Number of Face-to-face vs Virtual appointments?

Within the Trust's Urology department between 1st of April 2022 and 31st of March there was 22,637 face to face appointments and 12,594 virtual appointments.

8. How many staff members are in the urology? Can a named list or department structure be provided where possible?

Please see below attachment.

Please accept this letter as completion of your request. Please note that copies of this request will be held on file for three years before being confidentially destroyed.

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of your request, please contact our Head of Information Governance on Information.Governance@porthosp.nhs.uk or write to the above address and we will conduct an internal review. Upon review, if you are still dissatisfied, you may appeal our decision by contacting the Information Commissioner's Office; for more information, please visit the [ICO's website](#).

Please be aware, if we do not receive an appeal within 30 days of you receiving this letter, we will assume that you are satisfied with our response. If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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