

27th August 2015

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for your recent Freedom of Information request relating to hysterectomy procedures.

The Trust can provide the following information:

- (i) Please provide the top three medical reasons for carrying out a hysterectomy procedure from 1st July 2014 to 1st July 2015, and the number of hysterectomies that were carried out for each reason from 1st July 2014 to 1st July 2015.
- **Leiomyoma of uterus, unspecified - 61**
 - **Endometriosis of uterus - 7**
 - **Excessive and frequent menstruation with regular cycle - 6**
 - **Malignant neoplasm: Endometrium - 6**
- (ii) In total, how many hysterectomy procedures were carried out by your Trust from 1st July 2014 to 1st July 2015?
- **119**
- (iii) What proportion of women referred to the Trust for treatment for heavy periods underwent a hysterectomy between 1st July 2014 to 1st July 2015?
- **10 of 119 (8.4%)**
- (iv) How many hysterectomies were carried out by your Trust as an abdominal hysterectomy from 1st July 2014, to 1st July 2015?
- **99**

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Yours sincerely

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