

FOI Request

Bariatric Equipment Provision



Dear Sirs/Madams,

I would like some further information on your trusts provision of equipment/apparatus for overweight/bariatric patients over the past 3 financial years.

I am looking specifically for detail of spend on Bariatric equipment consisting (however not limited to) hoists, beds, pressure care mattresses, chairs, wheelchairs.

1) Could you please tell me your trusts NHS Spend on all Bariatric Equipment Rental/Lease in the past 3 years?

2014-15 – not separately identified

2013-14 -

2012-13 -

2) Could you please tell me your trusts NHS Spend on capital purchasing of Bariatric Equipment in the past 3 years?

2014-15 - £45,600

2013-14 - £2,512

2012-13 - £7,152

3) What is your current contractual status if any, if so, who is this with, what is the term of the contract including renewal date? If not under contract, how is this service provided, for example, is this simply on an Ad Hoc basis?

Any bariatric requirement is purchased/rented on an as needed basis. We do not have any standing contracts in place.

Best Regards

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