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Dear Sir or Madam,

Ref: FOI 2365

Thank you for your recent Freedom of Information request relating to the expenditure on patients not classed as ordinarily residents.

The Trust can provide the following information:

1) The name of your trust

Homerton University Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

2) Since 1st April 2015 until 1st March 2016 how many patients using your services have been identified as not 'ordinarily resident' in the UK under the Department of Health guidelines on 'Guidance on implementing the overseas visitor hospital charging regulations 2015'?

See link below

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/496951/Overseas_visitor_hospital_charging_accs.pdf

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3) Since 1st April 2015 until 1st March 2016 how much money has the Trust spent on the care of patients identified as not 'ordinarily resident' in the UK?

The Trust does not separately identify the costs of not 'ordinarily resident' patients

4) Since 1st April 2015 until 1st March 2016 out of those patients identified as not 'ordinarily resident' in the UK, how much money has the Trust claimed back for their care?

The Trust has invoiced patients for £524k

5) Since 1st April 2015 until 1st March 2016 out of those patients identified as not 'ordinarily resident' in the UK, how many have been asked to repay the costs for their care?

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6) Since 1st April 2015 until 1st March 2016 out of those patients identified as not 'ordinarily resident' in the UK, how many of those who have been asked to repay the costs for their care have not yet paid?

16 have paid in full

63 have made part payments

64 have made no payments

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Yours sincerely

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