

Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Request Reference FoI/20/405
Partial or Full Knee Replacement Surgery

Request details

Freedom of Information Request relating to full or partial knee replacement surgery and associated waiting lists in Cardiff and Vale University Health Board area and nationally.

I would like to request the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000;

For the Cardiff and Vale University Health Board area, for each of the last 3 years for which figures are available

1. Number of patients diagnosed as needing partial or full knee replacement surgery

1st April 2017 to 31st March 2018 = 808

1st April 2018 to 31st March 2019 = 612

1st April 2019 to 31st March 2020 = 656

2. Number of patients who have undergone full or partial knee replacement surgery

1st April 2017 to 31st March 2018 = 539

1st April 2018 to 31st March 2019 = 496

1st April 2019 to 31st March 2020 = 459

3. Number of patients who have sought prior approval for full or partial knee surgery at a facility elsewhere in the European Economic Area, (outside of the UK), for full or partial knee replacement surgery

Full knee surgery

1 April 2017 to 31 March 2018 = 1

1 April 2018 to 31 March 2019 = 2

1 April 2019 to 31 March 2020 = 4

Partial knee surgery

1 April 2017 to 31 March 2018 = 0

1 April 2018 to 31 March 2019 = 0

1 April 2019 to 31 March 2020 = 0

4. Number of patients who have sought prior approval for full or partial knee replacement surgery at a facility known as 'Nordorthopaedics', Lithuania

Full knee surgery at Nordorthopaedics

1 April 2017 to 31 March 2018 = 0

1 April 2018 to 31 March 2019 = 2

1 April 2019 to 31 March 2020 = 3

Partial knee surgery at Nordorthopaedics

1 April 2017 to 31 March 2018 = 0

1 April 2018 to 31 March 2019 = 0

1 April 2019 to 31 March 2020 = 0

5. Number of patients approved for full or partial knee replacement surgery at a facility elsewhere in the European Economic Area (outside of the UK) Number of patients who have been approved for full or partial knee replacement surgery at a facility known as 'Nordorthopaedics', Lithuania

1 April 2017 to 31 March 2018 = 0

1 April 2018 to 31 March 2019 = 0

1 April 2019 to 31 March 2020 = 1

Approve for partial knee surgery at any other facility in the EEA

1 April 2017 to 31 March 2018 = 0

1 April 2018 to 31 March 2019 = 0

1 April 2019 to 31 March 2020 = 0

6. Average waiting time for full or partial knee surgery

Sep 2017 = 27wks

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