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Subject: Extraction of teeth & waiting times

REQUEST & RESPONSE

I would like to request, please, the following information under the Freedom of Information Act.

Please could you give the following figures for the six month period May 15 to November 15, separately, for the three years 2018, 2019 and 2020.

Q: The number of referrals to your trust for extraction of teeth in children (up to age of 18), over the six month periods

A: St Helens and Knowsley Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust does not hold the requested information, please contact Bridgewater Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust.

Q: The number of cancers of any type diagnosed in patients of all ages, broken down by stage of cancer, over the six month periods

Cancer Stage	2015	2018	2019	2020
Stage 0 - indicates that the cancer is where it started (in situ)	14	9	20	11
and hasn't spread				
Stage I - the cancer is small and hasn't spread anywhere else	263	260	192	262
Stage II - the cancer has grown, but hasn't spread	154	243	211	144
Stage III - the cancer is larger and may have spread to the	36	51	48	92
surrounding tissues and/or the lymph nodes (part of the				
lymphatic system)				
Stage IV - the cancer has spread from where it started to at	20	127	127	51
least one other body organ; also known as "secondary" or				
"metastatic" cancer				
Null	539	503	506	377
Total	1026	1193	1104	937

Q: The number of operable cancers of any type diagnosed in patients of all ages in the six month periods

A: St Helens and Knowsley Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust does not hold this information in the requested format.

Q: How many children have been waiting more than one year for extraction of teeth at your trust

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Q: The age range of children waiting more than one year for extraction of teeth at your trust

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Q: How many children have waited for more than two years for extraction of teeth at your trust

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Q: What is the age range of children who have waited more than two years for extraction of teeth at your trust?

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Q: How many patients of all ages have been waiting more than six months for cardiology appointments at your trust?

A: As at 30/11/20, there were:

7 patients waiting 26+ weeks for their first cardiology appointment 2,350 patients waiting 26+ weeks for their follow-up cardiology appointment

Please note that the 52+ weeks waiters are included in the above figures.

Q: How many patients of all ages have been waiting for more than a year for cardiology appointments at your trust?

A: As at 30/11/20, there were:

0 patients waiting 52+ weeks for their first cardiology appointment 1,184 patients waiting 52+ weeks for their follow-up cardiology appointment