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Freedom of Information Request – Ref: FOI 116-1819

Thank you for your recent Freedom of Information request about private patients. Please find the Trust's response below.

1. How many hospital beds have been set aside across your Trust for private patients in each year from 2010/11 to 2017/18 inclusive? Please include beds set aside solely for private use and temporarily for private use. **0**
2. How many dedicated Private Patient Units have you had across your Trust in each year from 2010/11 to 2017/18 inclusive? Please provide details where possible around the activity within the units. **0**
3. How much has your Trust invested in Private Patient Units in each year from 2010/11 to 2017/18 inclusive? Please provide details where possible concerning what the Trust spent money on. **0**
4. On how many occasions have patients been transferred into NHS care from Private Patient Units in each year from 2010/11 to 2017/18 inclusive? **0**

Should you have any queries in relation to our response in this letter, please do not hesitate to contact me. If you are unhappy with the response you have received in relation to your request and wish to ask us to review our response, you should write to:-

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Yours sincerely,

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