



FREEDOM OF INFORMATION RESPONSE

FOI 3486

Emergency admissions



1) The total number of emergency admissions in the trust

Breakdown by Calendar Year	
Period	Emergency Admissions
2012/13	48860
2013/14	48140
2014/15	47495

2) The number of emergency admissions caused by a blocked catheter in the trust (Primary Diagnosis) * **

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Period	Blocked Catheter
2012/13	56
2013/14	59
2014/15	71

3) The number of emergency admissions caused by a urinary tract infection in the trust (Primary Diagnosis) **

Breakdown by Calendar Year	
Period	Urinary Tract Infection
2012/13	1587
2013/14	1578
2014/15	1570

* There is no specific code for 'Blocked Catheter', but the coding team have provided a code for 'Mechanical complication of urinary (indwelling) catheter' under ICD-10

** Please note that for both 'Blocked Catheter' and 'Urinary Tract Infection' - the figures are based on Primary Diagnosis only

4. The estimated cost of (per day) of an emergency admission to hospital

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We are unable to answer your question as we have such a variety of emergency admissions. They are all coded by specialty/condition. I suggest you review the national tariff which is what we work to.