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I write regarding a Freedom of Information request on clinical negligence claims and would be grateful if you could answer the following questions:

1. The numbers of letters of claim which have been served on the health board for each year in 2019/20, 2020/21 and 2021/22;

2019/2020 = 47 2020/2021 = 492021/2022 = 80

2. The number of clinical negligence claims settled in 2019/20, 2020/21 and 2021/22;

2019/20 = 54 2020/21 = 462021/22 = 48

- 3. The total number of outstanding claims against the Board; 369
- 4. Total payments made in respect of clinical negligence claims in 2019/20, 2020/21 and 2021/22;

April 2019 - March 2020 £8,189,666.70 April 2020 - March 2021 £12,569,172.41 April 2021 - March 2022 £12,892,851.68

5. If possible, the top three categories of clinical negligence claims.

The Health Board are unable to provide this information as cases are very mixed, and the position changes all the time.