

Freedom of Information Request	FOI 21-109	24 <sup>th</sup> March 2021
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## **1.** What is the size of the Trust in terms of number of beds:

Number of beds	1,793
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This figure includes Acute, Community and Mental Health 'Staffed' Beds

2. Please provide the number of needle stick (sharps) injuries reported within the Trust for the following NHS years:

NHS Year (April to March)	Number of reported needle stick (sharps) injuries
April 2017 – March 2018	220
April 2018 – March 2019	195
April 2019 – March 2020	193

**3.** How many subcutaneous (SC) infusion procedures were conducted by your trust in the following NHS years:

NHS Year (April to March)	Number of SC procedures:
April 2017 – March 2018	-
April 2018 – March 2019	-
April 2019 – March 2020	-

We do not hold this as a separate register and in order to provide this data we would have to carry out a specific exercise of reviewing the patient records in each of our sites to determine this information. We have calculated that in order to comply with your request it would exceed the appropriate costs limit under section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. This is currently £450. As you will be aware this is not an exemption which requires us to consider the application of the public interest test.