

**Re: Your request made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000**

1. Please can you tell me the number of last minute elective operations cancelled for non clinical reasons at your trust or board for each month of 2020 and 2021 to date.

Month	Non-clinical Theatre Cancellations Total
Jan-20	45
Feb-20	38
Mar-20	30
Apr-20	10
May-20	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Jun-20	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Jul-20	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Aug-20	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Sep-20	20
Oct-20	14
Nov-20	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Dec-20	14
Jan-21	11
Feb-21	10
Mar-21	17
Apr-21	28
May-21	19
Jun-21	35
Jul-21	28
Aug-21	20
Sep-21	36

2. Please can you tell me the number of urgent operations cancelled for non-medical reasons during each month.

We have no way of discerning what is and isn't a medical reason for cancellation, as such we have provided the overall total.

Month	Cancelled Non-Theatre Total
Jan-20	43
Feb-20	30
Mar-20	36
Apr-20	0
May-20	0
Jun-20	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Jul-20	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)

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Aug-20	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Sep-20	9
Oct-20	9
Nov-20	9
Dec-20	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Jan-21	24
Feb-21	7
Mar-21	20
Apr-21	16
May-21	23
Jun-21	12
Jul-21	29
Aug-21	27
Sep-21	40

If giving the full data requested would be likely to exceed the costs cap, please provide data for the most recent month and then as many months as possible working backwards until the limit is reached.

3. If possible, please let me know how many of the cancelled elective operations had still not been carried out 28 days later

4. If possible, please let me know how many of the cancelled urgent operations had still not been carried out 28 days later.

Below shows the number of operations that had not been undertaken 28 days after a previous cancellation. With the numbers being quite low on a monthly basis, the risk of patient confidentiality means the report is limited.

We are also unable to distinguish between elective or urgent operations so we have given the total for all operations that had not been undertaken after 28 days.

Month	Number of Cancelled Operations that had still not been carried out after 28 Days
Jan-20	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Feb-20	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Mar-20	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Apr-20	16
May-20	0
Jun-20	0
Jul-20	0
Aug-20	0
Sep-20	0
Oct-20	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Nov-20	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Dec-20	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Jan-21	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Feb-21	0
Mar-21	0
Apr-21	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)

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May-21	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Jun-21	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Jul-21	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Aug-21	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)
Sep-21	Cannot supply figure due it to being 5 or less (breach of patient confidentiality)

If you require any clarification, please contact me using the details below. Some parts of this request may be easier to answer than others, and should this prove to be the case I would ask that you release available data as soon as possible rather than hold up the entire request.