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

Please can I request (under the FOIA 2000):

I am sending this request under the Freedom of Information Act to ask for the following information:

1a. The number of primary bariatric surgery operations* performed by financial year, from 2017/18 to 2021/22
*(*including operations in private hospitals where these were used to provide additional capacity for the NHS)*

Financial Year	Total
2017/18	90
2018/19	101
2019/20	140
2020/21	3
2021/22	75

1b. The mean average wait from admission to Tier 4 services to surgery, by financial year, from 2017/18 to 2021/22.

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Financial Year	Average Weeks Wait
2019/20	23
2020/21	63
2021/22	63

Data for full financial years 2017/18 and 2018/19 is not available.

2. How many patients are on your bariatric surgery RTT (referral to treatment) waiting list at present?
- and at the end of each financial year from 2017/18 to 2021/22.

Date	31/03/2018	31/03/2019	31/03/2020	31/03/2021	31/03/2022	30/06/2022
Number of Incomplete Pathways (Waiters)	59	130	100	225	247	219

- 3a. The number of people enrolled within your Tier 3 weight management services:
- at present,
 - and at the end of each financial year from 2017/18 to 2021/22.

Please find information for question 3a of the above FOI request above

Tier 3 – current caseloads – patient receiving care in the service (to 4/8/2022)

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Doncaster service – 318

Bassetlaw service – 85

Tier 3 current waiting list – patients waiting for an appointment post triage (to 4/8/2022)

Doncaster service – 421

Bassetlaw service – 121

3b. The number of people enrolled within your Tier 4 services:

- at present, information unavailable
- and at the end of each financial year from 2017/18 to 2021/22.

2017/2018 Doncaster service – 278 patients on the caseload (12th April 2018)

2018/2019 Doncaster service – 225 patients on the caseload (25th April 2019)

This is due to changes in how information was kept for reporting therefore for the other years the data is not available/wasn't collected by the Trust I am therefore unable to provide a response.

If it is necessary for any reason to redact any information, please redact the minimum necessary and send me the rest of the material, explaining the legal grounds for each redaction.