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

1. Please indicate the total number of Tier 3 weight management patients treated in your Trust over the past 5 years. Where data is not readily available, please provide as much data as possible within "the appropriate limit" defined in Section 12 of the FOI Act:

Financial year	Tier 3 patients treated (#)
2018/2019	79
2019/2020	108
2020/2021	94
2021/2022	179
2022/2023	65

As the data is based on read codes, we cannot get 'Treated' as asked for, so I have built the query to look for 'First assessment as a meant to only count the new patients seen within each of these years. And as the FOI asks for 'number of Tier 3 weight management patients', so only wanted to count each patient once, hence

First

Assessment.

2. Please indicate the average waiting time from referral to treatment (RTT) for Tier 3 weight management services over the past 5 years, rounded to one decimal place. Where data is not readily available, please provide as much data as possible within "the appropriate limit" defined in Section 12 of the FOI Act:

Dietetics Tier 3 are not included in RTT so the this question cannot be answered.

Financial year	Average waiting time for Tier 3 services (weeks)
2018/2019	
2019/2020	
2020/2021	
2021/2022	
2022/2023	

3. Please indicate how many patients are currently, and at the end of each financial year, on your RTT waiting list for Tier 3 weight management services. Where data is not readily available,

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please provide as much data as possible within "the appropriate limit" defined in Section 12 of the FOI Act:

Dietetics Tier 3 are not included in RTT so this question cannot be answered.

Financial year	Total number of Tier 3 patients (#)
2018/2019	
2019/2020	
2020/2021	
2021/2022	
2022/2023	
Present	