

Reference Number: FOI/2019/078
From: Private Individual
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Subject: Recovery of Charges for Services

Since October 2017, NHS providers and non-NHS providers have been legally required to recover full charges for services that are not immediately necessary or urgent, in advance of providing them.

Please could you tell me:

Q1 What is the total amount of revenue that the Trust brought in by these charges?

A1 Zero

Q2 What is the total cost (or estimated cost) to the Trust of implementing these rules? (Including staffing costs).

A2 Zero

Q3 Please provide a breakdown of all the charges that have been collected by the Trust. This should be itemised by the list of categories that is included in the overseas patient upfront tariff price list. For each speciality/category, please state:

(a) the total number of times that patients have been charged for this category of treatment;

(b) the total amount of money collected for this category of treatment.

A3 Information not held – we have not charged upfront for any treatment or incurred any costs in doing so.