



## Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 20 January 2023.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

- 1. What was the total loss written off by your Trust in 2021/22 (regardless of when the debt was accumulated) that related to unpaid bills invoiced to patients or their representatives?  $\pounds 17,050.00$
- 2. What was the biggest single loss written off by your Trust in 2021/22 (regardless of when the debt was accumulated) that related to an unpaid patient bill? Please state the total amount of this written-off debt, the nationality of the patient, and the department of the hospital where the majority of the bill was incurred. –

Biggest single loss that related to an unpaid bill for the Trust in 2021/2022 -  $\pounds 6,400.00$ 

Nationality: Nigerian

We do not apportion the total invoice value to individual departments. We can confirm they were an inpatient for 45 days.

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If you need any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us at the address above.

Yours sincerely,

Freedom of Information Co-ordinator For and on behalf of Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

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