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Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on Friday 2nd February 2024. I am pleased to confirm the following.

1. The number of children (under 18s) who have a surgical procedure cancelled or delayed at your trust, in each of the past five calendar years (2023, 2022, 2021, 2020, 2019).

Please see attached document

2.For each of these years, please could you provide figures broken down by the reason behind the cancellation or delay, e.g. lack of staff, lack of bed capacity, or lack of equipment.

Please see attached document

3.Please could you provide figures on the five longest waits for a surgical procedure currently faced by under-18s at your trust, e.g. 118 days, 116 days, 113 days. For each of these waits, please could you provide a summary of the surgical procedure in question, e.g. heart surgery.

Please see attached document

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Yours sincerely





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

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