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Dear Sirs

Your Request for Information

I am writing in response to your recent request that we received on 16 September 2020 in which you requested the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Information Requested

I would like to know if your CCG records data relating to the circumcision of male patients. I would like to know how many such circumcisions were carried out by your CCG in the years 2018 and 2019, or any similar time period for which records are readily available.

If possible I would like to be provided with a breakdown of the ages of the patients at the time of the procedure; either in the way in which this information is already recorded by yourselves, or alternatively in the following way:-

- ages 0-5
- ages 6-11
- ages 12-17
- ages 18+
(all age brackets inclusive)

The activity below relates to CCG commissioned activity where procedure code N303 was coded as a procedure anywhere within a patient's hospital spell.

5 year age band	2018/19	2019/20
00-04	7	<6
05-09	26	20

10-14	11	18
15-19	14	9
20-24	22	9
25-29	11	8
30-34	8	7
35-39	<6	<6
40-44	<6	9
45-49	8	<6
50-54	<6	<6
55-59	10	<6
60-64	7	10
65+	31	26
Grand Total	167	135

I would also like a list of the hospitals or other similar facilities that your CCG has used for this procedure, including those outside the geographical area of your CCG and those in the private sector.

providerName	2018/19	2019/20
HARROGATE AND DISTRICT NHS FOUNDATION TRUST	15	14
YORK TEACHING HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST	140	113
Other (BMI Healthcare, Doncaster & Bassetlaw Teaching Hospitals, Leeds Teaching Hospitals, Mid Yorkshire Hospitals, Nottingham University Hospitals, Ramsay Healthcare UK and Spire Healthcare)	12	8
Grand Total	167	135

Response

[I can confirm NHS Vale of York Clinical Commissioning Group holds the information you have requested as per the above.](#)

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Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire, SK9 5AF

Helpline telephone: 01625 545 745

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you need any further assistance. You can find out more information about our Clinical Commissioning Group by visiting our website www.valeofyorkccg.nhs.uk

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Team
NHS Vale of York Clinical Commissioning Group