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The following information was requested on 10 September 2024:

I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act, can you please provide the following:

1. The number of claims against NHS Trust in the last five years (Between April 6-April 6 2019-2024) for medical negligence involving children (aged 0-17). Broken down by year, by primary cause, by injury and by NHS Trust.

2. Number and Cost of Clinical Claims Closed (or settled with a periodical payment order) between financial years 2019/20, 2020/21, 2021/22, 2022/23, 2023/24, with a damages payments, where the claim involved a child (Aged 0-17). Can the data include the damages and legal costs paid up until the end of each financial year of closure, or for PPO matters, year of settlement. Broken down by year, primary cause, by injury and by NHS Trust.

Can this be presented in PDF format?

Our Response

Please find attached the requested information. This information only covers England and not the rest of the UK.

NB: We have recently changed the way we report on our FOIs to align better with our published documents. Streamlining our reporting on FOIs with our annual published reports may mean a variation in snapshot dates. This means this data may not align with previous similar requests and it may not be possible for you to compare this information with a previous request. For further information, please refer to <https://resolution.nhs.uk/resources/understanding-nhs-resolution-data>.

Claims notified/received in any given year will often relate to incidents that have occurred many years prior. Due to the nature of clinical negligence claims and the level of investigation needed to bring them to a resolution, claims received and notified in a specific year may take years to settle and close. **They are not guaranteed to be settled and closed in the same year.** As such, there will be a time gap between incident and claim closure.

Due to the way in which data is extracted, it is also possible that the same claim may appear more than once in a dataset, across different year groups e.g. where the case has been closed (as nil damages payment), challenged, reopened, and closed again at conclusion.

The data shows variation in numbers of cases received, closed per year and costs attributed to those claims. This is a reflection of the nature of individual claims received and resolved by NHS Resolution, which can vary significantly. As such, these fluctuations cannot be interpreted as trends.

We have provided data on [clinical cases](#) only and for financial years (1 April – 31 March).

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Please note: Claims recorded against the Department of Health and Social Care (showing as Department of Health) include liabilities arising from defunct NHS organisations, which transferred to the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care when those organisations were abolished. These also include NHS clinical negligence claims made against current and former GP members of medical defence organisations (currently MDDUS and MPS only) in respect of liabilities incurred before 1 April 2019. These are managed under the [Existing Liabilities Scheme for General Practice \(ELSGP\)](#).

Similarly claims for NHS England largely relate to claims under the [Clinical Negligence Scheme for General Practice \(CNSGP\)](#) – a state backed indemnity scheme for general

practice. Coverage began on 1 April 2019. More details on each scheme can be found via the following link: [Clinical schemes - NHS Resolution](#).

Table 5 shows:

Number and Cost of Clinical Claims Closed (or settled with a periodical payment order) between financial years 2019/20 and 2023/24 with a damages payment, where the patient is a child (Age at incident between 0 and 17 years). Broken down by year. The data includes the damages and legal costs paid up until the end of each relevant financial year of closure, or for PPO matters, year of settlement.

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Please note: the tables broken down by Trusts should not be interpreted as a league table. Larger member organisations and those which provide more complex treatments may receive more claims than smaller organisations or those providing low risk care. Inevitably, different institutions face different levels of risk because of the variations in the nature and complexity of the procedures they perform. In some circumstances, volumes of reported cases may be impacted by multiple claims notified in relation to one cause of action.

PPOs

The information disclosed includes damages and costs paid up to the end of the settlement year (in Periodical payment order (PPO) cases) and up to the end of the closure year in non-PPO cases.

PPOs are an agreement between the parties, to pay an initial lump sum and regular future payments (PPO damages) related to the injured party's ongoing needs, usually care for life i.e., a percentage of the full value of the claim is paid at the point of settlement (lump sum damages) with the balance paid at regular intervals over subsequent years. The information disclosed includes lump sum damages, costs and any PPO damages paid up to the end of the year of settlement. It does not include PPO damages, which have been committed to but due to be paid after the settlement year.

Low Numbers

We have suppressed low figures as we believe that disclosure of information with this level of granularity is exempt under Section 40(2) by virtue of section 40(3A) (a) of the FOI Act, where disclosure to a member of the public would contravene one or more of the data protection principles. The data protection principles are set out in Article 5 of the General Data Protection Regulation. We take the view that it would not be fair or lawful (given the sensitive and confidential nature of the information held) to disclose such information, and any disclosure would therefore contravene the first data protection principle.

In some instances, the low numbers of claims (fewer than 5) in each category, the likelihood exists that individuals who are the subject of this information may be identified either from this information alone, or in combination with other available information. In addition to this, as this information is considered to be sensitive personal data (the data subjects' medical condition); NHS Resolution believes it has a greater responsibility to protect those individuals' identities, as disclosure could potentially cause damage and/or distress to those involved.

Further to our obligations to provide advice and assistance, you may find it helpful to review the work of the [Getting It Right First Time team](#) with whom NHS Resolution has been working with to undertake in-depth analysis of our claims data. They have produced a number of [reports](#) from analysing our claims data which has been shared following approval of the confidentiality advisory group to the use of confidential patient information for this purpose.

If you would like to know how data is categorised in our Claims database please see the following link: [Glossary](#)

This concludes our response to your request.

If you are not satisfied with the service that you have received in response to your information request, it is open to you to make a complaint and request a formal review of our decisions. If you choose to do this, you should write to [Tinku Mitra](#), Deputy Director of Corporate and Information Governance, Data Protection Officer for NHS Resolution, within 28 days of your receipt of this reply. Reviews of decisions made in relation to information requests are carried out by a person who was not involved in the original decision-making about the request.

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a review of the decision. Generally, the Information Commissioner will not make a decision unless you have exhausted the local complaints procedure. The address of the Information Commissioner's Office is:

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<https://ico.org.uk/>

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Table 1: Number of Clinical Claims and/or Incidents received between financial years 2019/20 and 2023/24 where the patient is a child (Age at incident between 0 and 17 years). Broken down by Year.

Notified	Y
Reporting Year	No. of Claims
2019/20	1,150
2020/21	1,263
2021/22	1,436
2022/23	1,317
2023/24	1,370
Grand Total	6,536

Table 2: Number of Clinical Claims and/or Incidents received between financial years 2019/20 and 2023/24 where the patient is a child (Age at incident between 0 and 17 years). Broken down by Primary Cause.

Notified	Y
Primary Cause	No. of Claims
Fail / Delay Treatment	1,491
Failure/Delay Diagnosis	1,079
Fail To Make Resp To Abnrm FHR	243
Inappropriate Treatment	233
Not Specified	223
Fail/Delay Referring To Hosp.	218
Other	199
Fail To Recog. Complication Of	189
Fail To Monitor 2nd Stg Labour	189
Failure To Perform Tests	177
Fail To Warn-Informed Consent	160
Fail To Monitor 1st Stg Labour	133
Assault, Etc By Hospital Staff	121
Medication Errors	108
Inadequate Nursing Care	101
Delay In Performing Operation	101
Fail To Act On Abnorm Test Res	97
Birth Defects	94
Operator Error	89
Fail/Delay Admitting To Hosp.	85
Fail Antenatal Screening	80
Fail To Follow-Up Arrangements	77
Intra-Op Problems	76
Failure To Interpret X-Ray	72
Failure To X-Ray	62
Inappropriate Discharge	61
Wrong Diagnosis	53
Forceps Delivery	52
Application Of Excess Force	49
Unexpected Death	49
Err With Agnt/Dose/Route/Selec	35
Lack Of Assistance/Care	34
Causes with less than 5 Claims	34
Fail To Supervise	33
Fail To Correctly Apply Forcep	31
Inapp Use Of Forceps/Ventouse	29
Sexual Abuse	28
Failure To Perform Operation	27
Bacterial Infection	26
Fail To Interpret USS	22
Wrong Site Surgery	20
Foreign Body Left In Situ	19
Equipment Malfunction	19
Diathermy Burns/react. To Prep	18
Self Harm	18
Fail To Infrm Test Rslts	17
Intubation Problems	16
Infusion Problems	15
(blank)	14
Inadequate Monitoring Intra-Op	12
Unknown	12
Perform. Of Op. Not Indicated	10
Poor Application Of Plstr Cast	10
Fail/Delay Resus By Paediatric	10
Fail Mon Dose/rate Syntocinon	10
Lack Of Facilities/Equipment	9
Cross Infection	8
MisplacedNaso/OrogastricTubeNotDet	8
Fail To Diag Pre-Eclampsia	8
Repeat Attempt Forcep/Ventouse	6
Lack Of Pre-Op Evaluation	6
Fail To Carry Out PO Observs.	6
Failed Infection Control Policy/Hospital Hygiene	5
Grand Total	6,536

Table 3: Number of Clinical Claims and/or Incidents received between financial years 2019/20 and 2023/24 where the patient is a child (Age at incident between 0 and 17 years). Broken down by Primary Injury.

Notified	Y
Primary Injury	No. of Claims
Fatality	841
Brain Damage	815
Unnecessary Pain	656
Cerebral Palsy	340
Adtnl/unnecessary Operation(s)	336
Not Specified	278
Psychiatric/Psychological Dmge	254
Hypoxia	181
Fracture	165
Other	126
Scarring	121
Erb's Palsy	108
Poor Outcome - Fractures Etc.	105
Bowel Damage/ Dysfunction	98
Developmental Delay	96
Removal Of Testicle	94
Cardiac Arrest	76
Joint Damage	75
Nerve Damage	71
Sepsis	64
Injuries with less than 5 Claims	60
Other Visual Problems	59
Renal Damage/ Failure	56
Bruising/ Extravasation	56
Deafness	55
Respiratory Disorder/ Failure	55
Dental Damage	54
Burn(s)	54
Pressure Sores	52
Infection (bacterial)	52
Other Infection	47
Spinal Damage	45
Loss Of Baby	44
Cancer	41
Cardiovascular Condition	41
Meningitis	39
Blindness	39
Advanced Stage Cancer	34
Perforation	33
Limb Deformity	30
Stroke	29
Tissue Damage	29
Partial Hearing Loss	28
Dislocation	28
Cosmetic Disfigurement	27
Stillborn	26
Multiple Injuries	23
Hypoglycaemia	23
Bodily Harm/Murder	22
Amputation - Lower	22
Rupture	21
Wrongful Birth	21
Loss Of Kidney	20
Learning Difficulties	19
Unknown	18
Liver Damage	18
Scalp Damage	17
Epilepsy	15
(blank)	15
Infertility	14
Sexual Abuse	13
Amputation - Upper	13
Tendon Damage	13

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Primary Injury	No. of Claims
Thrombosis/Embolism	13
Anaphylact Shock/Allergic Shock/allergy	13
Bladder Damage	13
Infectious Diseases	12
Peritonitis	12
Paraplegia	12
Multiple Disabilities	11
Foetal Abnormality	11
Benign Tumour	10
Infection (group B strep)	9
Removal Of Fallopian Tube	9
Spinabifida	8
Jaundice	8
Malnutrition	7
Lung Disease	7
Viral Infection	7
Partial Paralysis	7
Incontinence	7
Chromosomal Abnormality	6
Pacemaker Installation	6
Arterial Damage	6
Compartment Syndrome	6
Malignant Tumour	6
Osteoporosis	5
Foot Drop	5
Grand Total	6,536

Table 4: Number of Clinical Claims and/or Incidents received between financial years 2019/20 and 2023/24 where the patient is a child (Age at incident between 0 and 17 years). Broken down by NHS Trust.

Notified	Y
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Member Name	No. of Claims
Department of Health	#
ELSGP	422
DH CL	150
CNST	#
ELS	#
NHS England	370
Manchester University NHS Foundation Trust	223
Members with less than 5 Claims	129
Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust	112
The Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust	112
Mid and South Essex NHS Foundation Trust	112
University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust	108
Barts Health NHS Trust	98
University Hospitals of Derby and Burton NHS Foundation Trust	93
Birmingham Women's and Children's NHS Foundation Trust	86
Alder Hey Children's NHS Foundation Trust	85
University Hospitals Sussex NHS Foundation Trust	82
King's College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	78
Newcastle Upon Tyne Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (The)	78
Chelsea & Westminster Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	77
Northern Care Alliance NHS Foundation Trust	75
East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	72
University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust	71
Oxford University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	71
Cambridge University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	62
University Hospital Southampton NHS Foundation Trust	61
Bedfordshire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	61
Sheffield Children's NHS Foundation Trust	59
University Hospitals Bristol & Weston NHS Foundation Trust	59
Frimley Health NHS Foundation Trust	58
Barking, Havering and Redbridge University Hospitals NHS Trust	58
University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust	58
East Lancashire Hospitals NHS Trust	56
Mersey and West Lancashire Hospitals NHS Trust	55
Bolton NHS Foundation Trust	53
Calderdale & Huddersfield NHS Foundation Trust	52
Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust	52
United Lincolnshire Hospitals NHS Trust	51
Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust	51
Hull University Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust	51
Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	51
Mid Yorkshire Teaching NHS Trust	50
Lewisham & Greenwich NHS Trust	49
Shrewsbury and Telford Hospital NHS Trust	49
Liverpool Women's Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	49
North West Anglia NHS Foundation Trust	49
Royal Free London NHS Foundation Trust	49
University Hospitals Plymouth NHS Trust	47
University Hospitals Coventry & Warwickshire NHS Trust	46
Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust	46
East Suffolk and North Essex NHS Foundation Trust	45
Royal Wolverhampton NHS Trust (The)	43
South Tees Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	43
Bradford Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	42
Somerset NHS Foundation Trust	42
North Middlesex University Hospital NHS Trust	42
South Tyneside and Sunderland NHS Foundation Trust	41
Gloucestershire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	41
Sandwell & West Birmingham Hospitals NHS Trust	41
Doncaster and Bassetlaw Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	40
Royal Berkshire NHS Foundation Trust	40
Croydon Health Services NHS Trust	40
Great Ormond Street Hospital for Children NHS Foundation Trust	39

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Member Name	No. of Claims
West Hertfordshire Hospitals NHS Trust	38
Royal Devon University Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust	37
Homerton Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust	36
Lancashire Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	36
University Hospitals Dorset NHS Foundation Trust	35
Medway NHS Foundation Trust	35
Dartford and Gravesham NHS Trust	34
Portsmouth Hospitals NHS Trust	34
Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust	34
Great Western Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	34
County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust	34
Chesterfield Royal Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	33
Countess of Chester Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	33
Ashford & St Peter's Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	33
Northern Lincolnshire & Goole Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	32
London North West University Healthcare NHS Trust	31
Norfolk & Norwich University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	31
East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust	31
Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	31
St George's University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	31
Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust (The)	30
York and Scarborough Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	30
Worcestershire Acute Hospitals NHS Trust	30
Princess Alexandra Hospital NHS Trust (The)	30
Warrington and Halton Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	29
Northumbria Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust	29
Surrey and Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust	29
Sherwood Forest Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	29
Epsom and St Helier University Hospitals NHS Trust	29
Hillingdon Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (The)	28
Hampshire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	27
University College London Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	27
Northampton General Hospital NHS Trust	27
Wirral University Teaching Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	27
Barnsley Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	26
Stockport NHS Foundation Trust	26
South Warwickshire NHS Foundation Trust	26
Walsall Healthcare NHS Trust	25
The Rotherham NHS Foundation Trust	25
East and North Hertfordshire NHS Trust	25
Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	24
Buckinghamshire Healthcare NHS Trust	24
Royal United Hospitals Bath NHS Foundation Trust	24
The Queen Elizabeth Hospital King's Lynn NHS Foundation Trust	23
North West Ambulance NHS Trust	23
Whittington Health NHS Trust	22
Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust	22
Mid Cheshire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	22
North Tees & Hartlepool NHS Foundation Trust	22
North Bristol NHS Trust	21
North Cumbria Integrated Care NHS Foundation Trust	20
University Hospitals of Morecambe Bay NHS Foundation Trust	20
George Eliot Hospital NHS Trust	20
James Paget University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	19
Salisbury NHS Foundation Trust	19
Kettering General Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	18
Kingston Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	18
Tameside and Glossop Integrated Care NHS Foundation Trust	18
London Ambulance Service NHS Trust	16
Torbay & South Devon NHS Foundation Trust	15
Airedale NHS Foundation Trust	15
East Cheshire NHS Trust	15
West Suffolk NHS Foundation Trust	14

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Member Name	No. of Claims
Harrogate & District NHS Foundation Trust	13
Tees, Esk and Wear Valleys NHS Foundation Trust	13
Royal Surrey County Hospital NHS Foundation Trust (The)	12
South Central Ambulance NHS Foundation Trust	12
East Midlands Ambulance Service NHS Trust	11
Wye Valley NHS Trust	10
Nottinghamshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust	10
Moorfields Eye Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	10
The Royal Orthopaedic Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	10
Gateshead Health NHS Foundation Trust	9
North East London NHS Foundation Trust	9
Dorset County Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	9
Tavistock and Portman NHS Foundation Trust (The)	8
Isle of Wight NHS Trust	8
South East Coast Ambulance NHS Foundation Trust	7
Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital NHS Trust	7
East of England Ambulance NHS Trust	7
Cumbria, Northumberland, Tyne and Wear NHS Foundation Trust	6
Yorkshire Ambulance Service NHS Trust	6
Birmingham Community Healthcare	6
Surrey & Borders Partnership NHS Foundation Trust	6
Liverpool University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	6
Essex Partnership University NHS Foundation Trust	6
Cornwall Partnership NHS Foundation Trust	6
Lancashire and South Cumbria NHS Foundation Trust	5
Leicestershire Partnership NHS Trust	5
Oxford Health NHS Foundation Trust	5
Lincolnshire Partnership NHS Foundation Trust	5
Grand Total	6,536

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ClosedSettled	Y
Claim_Outcome	Damages Paid

Year of Closure (Settlement Year for PPOs)	No. of Claims	Damages Paid	NHS Legal Costs Paid	Claimant Legal Costs Paid	Total Paid
2019/20	733	593,542,315	26,363,679	78,990,863	698,896,857
2020/21	587	534,240,847	23,935,136	69,301,646	627,477,629
2021/22	690	542,821,452	25,816,215	85,460,523	654,098,190
2022/23	709	730,882,135	31,076,746	97,418,379	859,377,260
2023/24	669	713,492,827	30,871,413	96,382,898	840,747,137
Grand Total	3,388	3,114,979,576	138,063,189	427,554,309	3,680,597,074

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ClosedSettled	Y
Claim_Outcome	Damages Paid

Primary Cause	No. of Claims	Damages Paid	NHS Legal Costs Paid	Claimant Legal Costs Paid	Total Paid
Fail / Delay Treatment	719	527,362,381	24,650,462	79,627,985	631,640,828
Failure/Delay Diagnosis	643	272,524,121	16,622,917	57,524,561	346,671,599
Inappropriate Treatment	157	71,216,062	4,161,355	14,593,660	89,971,077
Fail To Make Resp To Abnrm FHR	142	441,550,478	16,100,414	45,292,117	502,943,010
Fail To Monitor 2nd Stg Labour	137	404,759,367	13,952,181	36,497,260	455,208,807
Fail To Recog. Complication Of	127	215,603,454	7,995,924	22,505,620	246,104,998
Failure To Perform Tests	87	80,248,956	3,310,273	12,127,146	95,686,375
Operator Error	80	16,977,381	1,115,243	4,481,096	22,573,721
Inadequate Nursing Care	68	23,220,354	1,825,412	5,273,481	30,319,247
Intra-Op Problems	68	44,167,579	3,044,607	9,227,873	56,440,059
Fail To Monitor 1st Stg Labour	65	177,529,407	6,988,195	19,142,118	203,659,720
Fail To Warn-Informed Consent	64	59,494,291	2,446,897	8,190,989	70,132,177
Delay In Performing Operation	64	67,566,691	2,642,402	8,049,562	78,258,655
Failure To Interpret X-Ray	61	12,992,321	1,083,409	4,498,522	18,574,252
Application Of Excess Force	53	28,947,840	2,327,577	7,100,016	38,375,434
Fail To Act On Abnorm Test Res	52	82,552,753	2,813,154	7,679,410	93,045,317
Fail/Delay Referring To Hosp.	51	14,550,445	1,204,848	4,608,132	20,363,424
Medication Errors	48	7,011,775	667,528	2,175,972	9,855,276
Fail Antenatal Screening	46	90,157,512	3,595,966	10,621,822	104,375,300
Fail To Follow-Up Arrangements	44	15,759,415	846,107	2,567,591	19,173,113
Failure To X-Ray	39	7,397,297	561,181	2,616,772	10,575,251
Birth Defects	35	97,660,737	2,958,123	8,115,370	108,734,230
Causes with less than 5 Claims	35	13,143,641	852,303	3,098,595	17,094,539
Fail/Delay Admitting To Hosp.	31	44,483,683	1,721,114	5,207,905	51,412,702
Forceps Delivery	28	24,172,836	1,474,941	4,493,960	30,141,737
Failure To Perform Operation	27	6,499,033	560,526	2,282,392	9,341,952
Sexual Abuse	26	1,665,300	159,720	679,100	2,504,120
Other	25	7,200,163	628,114	1,697,828	9,526,105
Wrong Diagnosis	23	3,389,437	264,207	1,014,090	4,667,734
Fail To Correctly Apply Forcep	23	7,468,705	417,855	1,486,325	9,372,886
Err With Agnt/Dose/Route/Selec	22	18,215,218	623,262	2,874,650	21,713,130
Infusion Problems	20	380,683	172,889	802,931	1,356,503
Foreign Body Left In Situ	19	672,868	123,403	539,284	1,335,555
Wrong Site Surgery	18	219,325	20,016	326,458	565,799
Fail To Supervise	17	11,558,918	553,857	1,458,780	13,571,555
Equipment Malfunction	17	4,075,646	216,068	844,124	5,135,838
Inapp Use Of Forceps/Ventouse	16	9,976,348	507,146	1,596,077	12,079,571
Inappropriate Discharge	16	10,336,187	466,563	1,588,245	12,390,995
Unexpected Death	15	607,237	134,676	721,118	1,463,031
Diathermy Burns/react. To Prep	15	200,000	27,068	343,026	570,093
Lack Of Assistance/Care	15	11,477,732	690,734	1,759,118	13,927,583
Fail/Delay Resus By Paediatric	14	23,953,059	1,012,745	2,921,321	27,887,125
Bacterial Infection	13	13,031,049	789,663	1,736,550	15,557,262
Fail Mon Dose/rate Syntocinon	12	50,424,026	1,535,375	4,475,000	56,434,400
Not Specified	11	647,551	163,678	460,650	1,271,879
Intubation Problems	11	17,833,335	520,918	1,849,453	20,203,707
Fail To Infrm Test RsIts	10	13,490,346	462,221	1,279,000	15,231,567
Poor Application Of Plstr Cast	10	94,250	40,722	209,883	344,855
Fail To Interpret USS	9	13,466,188	901,155	2,892,650	17,259,993
Assault, Etc By Hospital Staff	9	462,562	92,869	279,770	835,201
Fail To Diag Pre-Eclampsia	8	22,041,019	874,776	1,960,850	24,876,645
Perform. Of Op. Not Indicated	7	9,152,435	360,051	1,061,000	10,573,486
Inadequate Monitoring Intra-Op	6	1,066,145	111,683	564,000	1,741,828
Tooth Inj & Patient Posit Prob	5	74,647	5,086	83,200	162,934
Fail To Carry Out PO Observs.	5	14,249,386	663,609	2,449,899	17,362,894
Grand Total	3,388	3,114,979,576	138,063,189	427,554,309	3,680,597,074

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ClosedSettled	Y
Claim_Outcome	Damages Paid

Primary Injury	No. of Claims	Damages Paid	NHS Legal Costs Paid	Claimant Legal Costs Paid	Total Paid
Fatality	465	34,269,501	6,420,794	27,195,798	67,886,093
Unnecessary Pain	361	16,258,905	2,840,794	13,274,037	32,373,737
Cerebral Palsy	344	1,383,409,275	47,630,974	128,510,037	1,559,550,286
Brain Damage	338	1,082,591,813	39,622,330	110,418,055	1,232,632,198
Adtnl/unnecessary Operation(s)	228	25,836,729	2,890,444	12,737,994	41,465,167
Scarring	107	1,632,708	480,956	3,776,374	5,890,039
Fracture	107	7,383,450	922,781	4,414,275	12,720,506
Erb's Palsy	105	75,742,806	5,280,138	17,364,698	98,387,642
Poor Outcome - Fractures Etc.	95	14,692,364	1,070,951	5,018,551	20,781,866
Psychiatric/Psychological Dmge	86	6,184,195	1,055,740	4,164,194	11,404,130
Injuries with less than 5 Claims	74	64,944,559	3,298,082	9,478,365	77,721,006
Removal Of Testicle	70	1,767,411	303,513	2,155,485	4,226,409
Joint Damage	49	19,084,269	1,529,230	5,097,026	25,710,524
Bowel Damage/ Dysfunction	48	16,466,164	1,139,889	5,541,839	23,147,892
Other	48	3,878,470	446,726	1,856,184	6,181,380
Dental Damage	46	627,975	130,046	984,858	1,742,879
Burn(s)	45	580,768	154,334	1,013,995	1,749,098
Pressure Sores	37	962,852	116,110	1,074,357	2,153,318
Other Infection	37	2,458,873	391,395	1,269,413	4,119,681
Bruising/ Extravasation	36	532,002	114,710	945,893	1,592,605
Other Visual Problems	35	23,151,684	1,462,176	3,880,647	28,494,507
Nerve Damage	35	7,290,155	1,077,794	4,159,863	12,527,812
Developmental Delay	35	51,161,571	2,338,760	6,338,887	59,839,218
Loss Of Baby	33	2,096,815	356,246	1,665,000	4,118,061
Renal Damage/ Failure	33	5,470,151	566,036	2,048,491	8,084,678
Spinal Damage	31	26,858,491	1,655,229	4,544,159	33,057,880
Limb Deformity	25	5,051,860	751,681	2,234,773	8,038,313
Cardiac Arrest	24	3,423,984	411,317	1,346,397	5,181,698
Cosmetic Disfigurement	23	1,790,277	230,051	1,594,545	3,614,873
Respiratory Disorder/ Failure	21	484,994	151,292	836,052	1,472,338
Tissue Damage	21	2,570,652	418,797	1,258,819	4,248,268
Deafness	20	8,393,310	890,441	3,072,555	12,356,305
Blindness	19	20,686,163	1,271,458	3,800,660	25,758,281
Dislocation	18	4,796,561	265,843	1,774,736	6,837,141
Perforation	17	2,375,941	194,486	1,024,763	3,595,190
Amputation - Lower	17	50,651,991	2,227,313	5,136,591	58,015,894
Peritonitis	17	465,157	117,921	756,125	1,339,203
Meningitis	15	44,766,956	1,249,987	3,900,905	49,917,848
Stillborn	13	4,144,665	348,884	1,250,950	5,744,499
Infertility	11	966,165	105,369	684,277	1,755,811
Sexual Abuse	11	1,031,050	113,953	490,100	1,635,103
Wrongful Birth	11	25,874,129	1,055,357	2,984,033	29,913,519
Rupture	11	101,283	29,764	227,440	358,487
Advanced Stage Cancer	11	2,885,984	336,917	923,322	4,146,223
Partial Hearing Loss	11	878,428	164,733	951,621	1,994,783
Compartment Syndrome	10	4,173,751	237,522	784,655	5,195,928
Cardiovascular Condition	10	700,216	328,058	767,120	1,795,393
Epilepsy	9	5,934,279	778,913	1,854,947	8,568,138
Sepsis	9	196,995	48,736	320,600	566,331
Cancer	9	705,445	189,213	517,375	1,412,034
Multiple Injuries	9	461,248	80,229	579,065	1,120,542
Infectious Diseases	8	622,989	200,649	556,116	1,379,754
Tendon Damage	8	936,583	83,118	348,147	1,367,848
Bladder Damage	8	4,655,219	266,359	1,016,160	5,937,738
Scalp Damage	8	342,453	78,075	382,684	803,212
Infection (bacterial)	7	60,764	75,987	262,100	398,851
Loss Of Kidney	7	324,313	228,872	699,500	1,252,685

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ClosedSettled	Y
Claim_Outcome	Damages Paid

Primary Injury	No. of Claims	Damages Paid	NHS Legal Costs Paid	Claimant Legal Costs Paid	Total Paid
Removal Of Fallopian Tube	6	141,846	79,671	386,440	607,957
Hypoxia	6	297,500	45,462	307,250	650,212
Amputation - Upper	5	20,019,713	462,410	1,587,200	22,069,322
Partial Paralysis	5	6,999,275	373,457	1,087,313	8,460,044
Lung Disease	5	55,637	72,541	179,500	307,678
Anaphylact Shock/Allergic Shock/allergy	5	38,674	27,037	133,046	198,757
Foot Drop	5	6,179,170	292,918	1,402,088	7,874,176
Learning Difficulties	5	5,460,000	482,221	1,205,866	7,148,087
Grand Total	3,388	3,114,979,576	138,063,189	427,554,309	3,680,597,074

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ClosedSettled	Y
Claim_Outcome	Damages Paid

Member Name	No. of Claims	Damages Paid	NHS Legal Costs Paid	Claimant Legal Costs Paid	Total Paid
Department of Health	162	103,991,953	5,546,999	18,388,281	127,927,233
DH CL	66	70,687,860	3,951,799	12,003,632	86,643,290
ELSGP	96	33,304,094	1,595,200	6,384,649	41,283,943
Members with less than 5 Claims	114	25,321,570	2,343,958	7,569,140	35,234,668
Manchester University NHS Foundation Trust	104	76,766,838	3,963,642	11,079,650	91,810,130
Mid and South Essex NHS Foundation Trust	74	103,312,220	3,506,126	9,813,985	116,632,331
Birmingham Women's and Children's NHS Foundation	70	23,120,737	1,604,753	4,793,699	29,519,189
University Hospitals Sussex NHS Foundation Trust	61	80,877,098	3,208,257	11,335,275	95,420,629
Barts Health NHS Trust	59	64,851,364	2,798,277	8,720,363	76,370,004
The Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust	53	31,096,784	1,959,311	6,239,129	39,295,224
University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust	52	42,007,422	1,826,490	4,153,093	47,987,006
University Hospitals of Derby and Burton NHS Foundati	50	40,285,183	2,910,600	5,825,146	49,020,929
Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust	50	44,633,090	3,197,503	6,369,733	54,200,326
Newcastle Upon Tyne Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	47	25,940,547	1,378,474	4,009,599	31,328,621
Lewisham & Greenwich NHS Trust	46	66,903,526	2,391,304	9,247,082	78,541,913
East Suffolk and North Essex NHS Foundation Trust	45	34,671,767	1,684,065	5,927,533	42,283,365
Northern Care Alliance NHS Foundation Trust	45	24,230,985	1,638,141	4,463,717	30,332,843
Barking, Havering and Redbridge University Hospitals	43	58,495,757	2,235,637	6,704,198	67,435,592
King's College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	40	19,544,268	1,616,216	5,058,645	26,219,128
Cambridge University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	40	31,339,467	1,239,481	4,418,115	36,997,063
Alder Hey Children's NHS Foundation Trust	38	15,069,470	763,347	2,981,329	18,814,145
NHS England	37	3,332,901	341,062	1,731,597	5,405,560
Mersey and West Lancashire Hospitals NHS Trust	36	32,996,195	1,357,450	4,028,425	38,382,070
Frimley Health NHS Foundation Trust	36	31,898,031	1,254,439	4,063,392	37,215,862
East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	35	25,402,790	891,099	4,215,581	30,509,469
North West Anglia NHS Foundation Trust	35	18,921,563	1,225,663	4,668,198	24,815,424
Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust	35	53,061,319	2,294,157	6,514,322	61,869,798
South Tyneside and Sunderland NHS Foundation Trust	34	11,827,775	1,082,569	2,961,220	15,871,565
Royal Free London NHS Foundation Trust	34	70,156,913	2,575,942	6,635,279	79,368,133
University Hospital Southampton NHS Foundation Trus	33	21,911,586	946,552	2,938,474	25,796,612
United Lincolnshire Hospitals NHS Trust	33	3,162,757	529,185	1,608,006	5,299,948
East Lancashire Hospitals NHS Trust	33	29,177,534	1,173,489	3,167,824	33,518,847
Somerset NHS Foundation Trust	32	19,968,239	1,228,525	3,382,856	24,579,621
Great Ormond Street Hospital for Children NHS Founde	32	23,103,045	2,165,001	6,062,866	31,330,912
Lancashire Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	32	31,671,994	1,150,878	4,163,084	36,985,956
Mid Yorkshire Teaching NHS Trust	31	26,024,115	1,301,543	3,459,739	30,785,397
University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust	30	17,106,444	1,012,587	2,085,411	20,204,442
South Tees Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	30	8,840,186	686,126	2,255,524	11,781,836
Bedfordshire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	29	20,282,094	971,487	2,441,483	23,695,064
Bolton NHS Foundation Trust	29	18,924,727	685,541	2,441,887	22,052,155
Portsmouth Hospitals NHS Trust	29	62,812,812	1,990,846	6,457,151	71,260,809
Northern Lincolnshire & Goole Hospitals NHS Foundati	29	8,664,880	634,980	1,642,430	10,942,289
University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trus	28	28,732,226	1,007,931	2,747,484	32,487,641
University Hospitals Bristol & Weston NHS Foundation	28	47,192,037	1,892,606	5,239,961	54,324,604
Oxford University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	28	30,210,865	931,912	3,218,028	34,360,804
Royal Berkshire NHS Foundation Trust	28	45,734,772	1,783,773	5,056,925	52,575,469
Doncaster and Bassetlaw Teaching Hospitals NHS Fou	27	13,506,148	603,634	2,305,784	16,415,566
Epsom and St Helier University Hospitals NHS Trust	27	36,805,207	1,457,103	4,834,373	43,096,684
County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust	27	14,614,442	874,267	2,421,477	17,910,186
Gloucestershire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	27	30,242,666	1,317,143	4,159,692	35,719,502
Shrewsbury and Telford Hospital NHS Trust	26	16,925,959	841,981	3,329,725	21,097,665
Worcestershire Acute Hospitals NHS Trust	26	35,647,208	1,470,533	4,015,585	41,133,326
Sheffield Children's NHS Foundation Trust	26	4,925,856	462,855	1,781,457	7,170,168
University Hospitals Coventry & Warwickshire NHS Tru	26	29,259,460	1,159,755	3,743,579	34,162,794
Croydon Health Services NHS Trust	25	11,141,709	878,656	3,918,358	15,938,723
St George's University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	25	38,799,368	1,630,580	5,301,699	45,731,647
Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	25	35,835,899	1,338,593	2,656,750	39,831,242

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Claim_Outcome	Damages Paid

Member Name	No. of Claims	Damages Paid	NHS Legal Costs Paid	Claimant Legal Costs Paid	Total Paid
York and Scarborough Teaching Hospitals NHS Founda	25	11,562,291	541,779	1,891,523	13,995,593
Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	24	50,152,977	1,598,390	4,784,884	56,536,251
Chesterfield Royal Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	24	13,423,637	659,571	2,298,650	16,381,859
Calderdale & Huddersfield NHS Foundation Trust	24	24,719,539	744,736	3,312,429	28,776,705
Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust (The)	23	11,393,283	601,616	1,803,395	13,798,294
Homerton Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust	23	48,956,804	1,460,281	5,228,094	55,645,178
Liverpool Women's Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	23	45,324,366	1,867,174	5,372,450	52,563,990
Royal Devon University Healthcare NHS Foundation Tr	22	30,559,529	1,147,410	3,191,138	34,898,077
Sandwell & West Birmingham Hospitals NHS Trust	22	6,045,752	427,175	1,462,899	7,935,826
Stockport NHS Foundation Trust	22	25,297,776	1,291,440	3,481,588	30,070,805
Medway NHS Foundation Trust	22	47,606,309	1,208,964	3,306,898	52,122,171
Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust	21	38,151,315	1,458,886	4,454,645	44,064,846
Walsall Healthcare NHS Trust	21	17,954,041	816,903	2,368,814	21,139,758
Surrey and Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust	21	19,027,004	593,867	2,747,670	22,368,541
Chelsea & Westminster Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	21	32,565,678	1,025,795	3,374,433	36,965,906
Ashford & St Peter's Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	21	30,673,677	1,036,324	4,652,362	36,362,363
Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust	21	20,066,275	813,002	2,532,883	23,412,161
Kettering General Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	19	18,051,123	746,564	2,288,529	21,086,216
Hull University Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust	18	25,334,636	712,498	2,205,499	28,252,632
East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust	18	21,701,025	817,772	3,056,841	25,575,638
Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust	18	7,653,921	545,592	2,255,661	10,455,173
Hampshire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	18	24,602,066	887,296	3,157,536	28,646,897
Great Western Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	18	15,886,201	477,493	1,888,902	18,252,596
Norfolk & Norwich University Hospitals NHS Foundatio	18	31,368,584	1,121,901	4,847,468	37,337,953
East and North Hertfordshire NHS Trust	17	29,862,544	1,053,064	4,107,201	35,022,809
Sherwood Forest Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	17	26,887,373	1,032,083	2,754,177	30,673,633
Buckinghamshire Healthcare NHS Trust	17	7,989,158	338,037	1,280,625	9,607,820
London North West University Healthcare NHS Trust	17	32,515,013	1,191,051	5,350,133	39,056,198
Kingston Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	17	22,941,816	867,491	2,524,350	26,333,657
Royal United Hospitals Bath NHS Foundation Trust	17	20,641,943	843,790	1,820,883	23,306,616
University Hospitals of Morecambe Bay NHS Foundatio	17	17,235,593	644,473	2,099,511	19,979,577
Royal Wolverhampton NHS Trust (The)	17	29,062,655	1,689,048	3,641,246	34,392,949
West Hertfordshire Hospitals NHS Trust	17	7,535,184	499,638	1,795,070	9,829,892
University Hospitals Plymouth NHS Trust	16	19,717,030	1,102,305	2,683,907	23,503,242
University College London Hospitals NHS Foundation T	16	11,720,409	666,006	1,937,172	14,323,587
North Tees & Hartlepool NHS Foundation Trust	16	6,541,254	515,660	1,426,275	8,483,189
Bradford Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	16	16,814,613	629,936	1,906,425	19,350,974
Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	16	15,800,354	567,626	1,833,026	18,201,006
Princess Alexandra Hospital NHS Trust (The)	16	6,345,119	476,532	1,687,599	8,509,250
Dartford and Gravesham NHS Trust	15	14,409,837	472,316	2,122,080	17,004,233
Warrington and Halton Hospitals NHS Foundation Trus	15	17,644,661	687,614	2,942,131	21,274,406
University Hospitals Dorset NHS Foundation Trust	15	15,010,782	808,724	2,068,535	17,888,040
Barnsley Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	14	17,094,107	998,818	3,739,538	21,832,463
Mid Cheshire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	14	8,895,003	785,200	2,125,420	11,805,623
North Middlesex University Hospital NHS Trust	14	30,917,082	550,592	2,789,452	34,257,126
Gateshead Health NHS Foundation Trust	14	20,550,993	846,720	1,645,525	23,043,238
Wirral University Teaching Hospital NHS Foundation Tr	13	13,451,946	549,896	2,174,876	16,176,718
Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust	13	31,288,596	1,249,477	2,794,732	35,332,805
North Cumbria Integrated Care NHS Foundation Trust	13	306,566	90,866	401,907	799,339
North Bristol NHS Trust	13	19,803,129	919,085	2,603,190	23,325,405
The Queen Elizabeth Hospital King's Lynn NHS Founda	13	5,329,755	173,753	713,377	6,216,884
Torbay & South Devon NHS Foundation Trust	12	10,717,500	417,405	1,185,660	12,320,565
George Eliot Hospital NHS Trust	12	9,483,294	248,995	894,384	10,626,673
Northumbria Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust	11	1,655,547	245,449	458,813	2,359,808
James Paget University Hospitals NHS Foundation Tru	10	18,899,193	542,744	1,538,360	20,980,297
Tameside and Glossop Integrated Care NHS Foundatio	10	6,095,500	408,968	863,500	7,367,968
Whittington Health NHS Trust	9	601,559	96,600	604,020	1,302,179

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ClosedSettled	Y
Claim_Outcome	Damages Paid

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Dorset County Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	9	17,248,971	556,963	1,538,125	19,344,060
Salisbury NHS Foundation Trust	9	4,327,478	148,714	608,400	5,084,592
East Midlands Ambulance Service NHS Trust	9	7,825,311	401,193	1,081,545	9,308,049
Countess of Chester Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	9	9,238,323	370,965	1,363,584	10,972,872
Hillingdon Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (The)	9	14,412,185	547,440	1,531,550	16,491,174
Royal Surrey County Hospital NHS Foundation Trust (T	9	4,330,354	191,639	714,500	5,236,494
The Rotherham NHS Foundation Trust	9	6,328,156	308,773	965,128	7,602,057
Northampton General Hospital NHS Trust	8	15,669,629	536,040	1,765,500	17,971,169
Isle of Wight NHS Trust	7	5,810,689	263,985	820,000	6,894,674
West Midlands Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Tr	7	264,895	26,962	233,000	524,857
Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital NHS Trust	7	4,503,376	164,895	820,750	5,489,021
Wye Valley NHS Trust	6	6,923,517	191,431	936,709	8,051,657
London Ambulance Service NHS Trust	6	9,003,338	232,124	747,500	9,982,961
East Cheshire NHS Trust	6	2,099,286	124,276	394,797	2,618,358
North West Ambulance NHS Trust	6	168,870	79,105	272,343	520,318
South Warwickshire NHS Foundation Trust	5	139,969	33,448	116,500	289,917
West Suffolk NHS Foundation Trust	5	3,560,544	109,824	412,750	4,083,119
Grand Total	3,388	3,114,979,576	138,063,189	427,554,309	3,680,597,074