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The following information was requested on 05 November 2025:

This is a follow up on previous request [FOI 5525 Failure-to-warn-informed-consent.doc.pdf](#) .

I am doing some consent work with the people who requested the FOI 5525 and off the back of it they asked for a refresh of it to 2015-2025.

Please can I have approval of what can be shared on an FOI basis from the data that has been pulled.

Happy to talk any of this through.

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. **Specifically, this response cannot be compared with FOI 5525.** For further information, please refer to [Guidance-note-Understanding-NHS-Resolution-data-updated](#)

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 claims 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. In some circumstances, volumes of reported cases may be impacted by multiple claims notified in relation to one cause of action.

For information about our Clinical Negligence Schemes, please visit our website here: [Clinical schemes - NHS Resolution](#).

Please find attached the following tables:

Table 1 shows: Number of Clinical Claims and Incidents received between financial years '2014/15' and '2024/25' where the Primary Cause is '**Fail to Warn-Informed Consent**'.

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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 ELSGP. Please see our website for details ([Existing Liabilities Scheme for General Practice - NHS Resolution](#)).

Please note: Cover under the Clinical Negligence Scheme for Trusts (CNST) has also been available to independent sector providers (ISPs) of NHS care since 1st April 2013,

but data relating to these ISPs has not been included in our response.

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PPOs -

The information disclosed includes damages 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 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

Please note we have suppressed low figures (and high figures that would make it possible to work out low numbers) 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 Freedom of Information Act 2000, 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. Where we are in the territory of such small numbers in the attached, we have used a '#' symbol in the relevant field. You should still be able to see aggregate/total details for higher level fields containing this data.

Please refer to [Understanding NHS Resolution data](#) guidance for further details on how our Claims database is categorised.

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.

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 [Joanne Appleby](#), Deputy 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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Table 1: Number of Clinical Claims and Incidents received between financial years '2014/15' and '2024/25' where the Primary Cause is 'Fail to Warn-Informed Consent'

Notified	Y
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Year of Notification	No. of Claims
2014/15	324
2015/16	334
2016/17	418
2017/18	417
2018/19	385
2019/20	562
2020/21	818
2021/22	701
2022/23	546
2023/24	507
2024/25	546
Grand Total	5,558

Table 2: Number and Cost of Clinical Claims Closed (or settled with a periodical payment order) between financial years '2014/15' and '2024/25' with a damages payment where the Primary Cause is 'Fail to Warn-Informed Consent' 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.

ClaimOutcome	Damages Paid
ClosedSettled	Y

Year of Closure (Settlement Year for PPOs)	No. of Claims	Damages Paid	NHS Legal Costs Paid	Claimant Legal Costs Paid	Total Paid
2014/15	153	13,389,518	1,738,908	7,540,101	22,668,528
2015/16	140	10,893,739	1,839,164	8,802,776	21,535,679
2016/17	169	11,825,834	2,442,639	11,285,328	25,553,801
2017/18	212	23,115,185	2,884,046	11,715,495	37,714,726
2018/19	210	22,111,019	3,288,492	11,519,226	36,918,737
2019/20	277	38,015,194	4,473,719	16,774,492	59,263,405
2020/21	220	27,031,839	3,897,658	13,776,276	44,705,773
2021/22	236	51,708,193	4,895,381	17,153,496	73,757,069
2022/23	298	49,358,949	5,148,436	20,031,272	74,538,657
2023/24	313	64,722,244	5,711,849	21,779,567	92,213,660
2024/25	368	67,332,397	7,658,320	27,838,822	102,829,539
Grand Total	2,596	379,504,112	43,978,611	168,216,850	591,699,572

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ClaimOutcome	Damages Paid
ClosedSettled	Y

Specialty	No. of Claims	Damages Paid	NHS Legal Costs Paid	Claimant Legal Costs Paid	Total Paid
Specialties with less than 5 claims	27	3,839,765	449,996	1,525,625	5,815,386
Gynaecology	548	30,535,551	6,596,077	29,171,189	66,302,817
Orthopaedic Surgery	404	45,950,323	7,824,714	28,176,108	81,951,146
General Surgery	367	46,518,705	6,339,334	23,478,647	76,336,686
Obstetrics	204	130,982,779	5,492,207	20,312,996	156,787,982
Urology	138	8,542,927	1,385,967	6,403,678	16,332,572
Oral & Maxillo Facial Surgery	101	3,845,976	934,021	3,557,103	8,337,101
Otorhinolaryngology/ ENT	82	14,342,801	1,676,968	5,747,442	21,767,212
Ophthalmology	72	9,964,301	1,007,206	4,337,403	15,308,911
Plastic Surgery	67	5,385,330	1,297,209	4,802,230	11,484,769
Gastroenterology	55	6,412,693	965,809	3,513,572	10,892,075
Surgical Speciality - Other	54	8,342,449	1,169,148	4,426,152	13,937,750
Neurosurgery	53	28,917,504	2,559,943	7,578,220	39,055,668
Vascular Surgery	51	6,424,071	1,063,744	4,167,424	11,655,240
Anaesthesia	49	7,544,238	788,878	3,067,405	11,400,521
Dentistry	48	835,844	224,061	1,243,495	2,303,400
Cardiology	38	2,519,681	622,110	2,466,046	5,607,837
General Practice	32	671,898	290,291	1,131,951	2,094,140
General Medicine	27	2,572,220	474,432	1,735,165	4,781,816
Cardio Surgery	24	3,918,020	845,520	2,554,007	7,317,547
Radiology	22	3,787,218	498,782	2,120,381	6,406,381
Oncology	22	1,767,124	317,658	1,548,615	3,633,397
Dermatology	22	422,471	95,743	593,530	1,111,744
Respiratory Medicine/ Thoracic Medic	12	943,005	203,523	959,352	2,105,880
Emergency Medicine	12	255,790	133,748	429,148	818,686
Podiatry	10	722,363	132,189	550,855	1,405,407
Renal Medicine	9	405,055	94,789	458,131	957,975
Neurology	9	658,243	119,105	600,281	1,377,629
Other	8	1,518,007	73,608	272,750	1,864,365
Genito-Urinary Medicine	8	294,729	80,682	406,146	781,557
Rheumatology	6	355,500	88,044	235,372	678,916
Endocrinology	5	144,250	46,401	255,500	446,151
Psychiatry/ Mental Health	5	59,137	20,616	98,554	178,307
Paediatric Surgery	5	104,141	66,088	292,375	462,604
Grand Total	2,596	379,504,112	43,978,611	168,216,850	591,699,572

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ClaimOutcome	ClosedSettled	Damages Paid				
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Member Name	No. of Claims	Damages Paid	NHS Legal Costs Paid	Claimant Legal Costs Paid	Total Paid
Members with less than 5 claims	68	15,811,404	1,132,766	4,425,053	21,369,223
North Bristol NHS Trust	80	12,018,530	1,619,899	3,724,252	17,362,681
Department of Health	#	#	#	#	#
CNST	#	#	#	#	#
DH CL	42	8,287,648	948,037	4,116,877	13,352,562
ELSGP	16	455,633	248,810	752,415	1,456,858
University Hospitals of Derby and Burton NHS Foundation Trust	53	3,114,837	842,684	1,840,223	5,797,744
Manchester University NHS Foundation Trust	50	2,350,616	675,625	2,704,542	5,730,782
Barts Health NHS Trust	49	15,384,193	1,169,274	4,630,836	21,184,304
Royal Free London NHS Foundation Trust	49	30,618,262	1,520,456	4,983,501	37,122,220
University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust	48	3,537,832	486,346	2,368,735	6,392,913
United Lincolnshire Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust	47	3,379,770	723,746	2,670,976	6,774,491
Mid and South Essex NHS Foundation Trust	47	4,134,065	474,670	2,670,018	7,278,753
NHS England	46	1,506,337	316,500	1,666,176	3,489,014
Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust	45	5,928,237	963,495	3,541,915	10,433,646
Hull University Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust	43	13,152,742	724,459	3,213,814	17,091,015
South Tyneside and Sunderland NHS Foundation Trust	41	1,355,707	324,321	1,810,463	3,490,490
Frimley Health NHS Foundation Trust	39	3,109,168	415,322	2,182,183	5,706,673
Newcastle Upon Tyne Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (The)	39	8,571,819	885,732	3,118,017	12,575,567
Northern Care Alliance NHS Foundation Trust	38	3,902,126	449,785	2,046,904	6,398,815
Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	37	6,223,944	663,492	2,167,208	9,054,643
Oxford University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	33	2,931,703	554,480	2,619,653	6,105,837
Royal Devon University Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust	32	2,380,762	622,170	1,732,160	4,735,093
Worcestershire Acute Hospitals NHS Trust	31	2,893,047	337,235	1,353,743	4,584,025
University College London Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	31	10,634,488	1,608,553	3,719,743	15,962,783
Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust	31	2,125,157	268,747	1,306,440	3,700,344
Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust	30	1,943,216	490,078	2,278,830	4,712,123
University Hospitals Sussex NHS Foundation Trust	30	2,217,292	482,503	2,025,773	4,725,568
Mersey and West Lancashire Hospitals NHS Trust	29	1,025,213	323,924	1,419,493	2,768,630
Sandwell & West Birmingham Hospitals NHS Trust	28	1,208,070	266,513	910,700	2,385,283
East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	28	2,323,994	396,328	2,075,952	4,796,274
King's College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	28	3,306,413	758,975	2,853,892	6,919,280
University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust	28	1,525,822	723,918	1,483,175	3,732,915
North Tees & Hartlepool NHS Foundation Trust	27	5,973,075	416,756	1,706,600	8,096,431
Liverpool Women's Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	27	1,231,572	90,426	677,637	1,999,635
Doncaster and Bassetlaw Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	26	3,053,849	319,897	1,504,701	4,878,447
University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust	24	2,263,543	425,204	962,896	3,651,643
East Lancashire Hospitals NHS Trust	24	2,073,169	216,637	998,739	3,288,545
East Suffolk and North Essex NHS Foundation Trust	23	1,238,134	328,080	1,661,909	3,228,123
University Hospitals Coventry & Warwickshire NHS Trust	23	3,254,431	444,036	1,546,450	5,244,917
Chelsea & Westminster Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	23	1,385,905	469,628	1,470,672	3,326,205
Liverpool University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	23	1,601,278	438,753	1,640,940	3,680,971
Royal Berkshire NHS Foundation Trust	22	4,916,835	802,843	2,608,227	8,327,905
Barnsley Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	22	1,174,958	357,903	1,024,422	2,557,283
Mid Yorkshire Teaching NHS Trust	22	2,306,825	353,457	1,544,483	4,204,765
Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust	22	2,980,150	681,333	1,835,904	5,497,387
Walsall Healthcare NHS Trust	21	3,333,309	322,975	1,342,076	4,998,361
Epsom and St Helier University Hospitals NHS Trust	21	3,676,602	493,703	1,773,372	5,943,678
The Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust	21	675,204	230,871	996,519	1,902,593
County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust	21	843,169	191,869	869,964	1,905,002
Norfolk & Norwich University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	21	14,403,202	473,853	2,016,532	16,893,588
West Hertfordshire Hospitals NHS Trust	20	1,458,280	311,146	934,716	2,704,142
Barking, Havering and Redbridge University Hospitals NHS Trust	20	763,951	272,495	865,734	1,902,180
Hampshire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	20	631,737	199,518	1,055,847	1,887,102
James Paget University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	20	1,590,844	221,378	1,092,713	2,904,936
Portsmouth Hospitals NHS Trust	20	1,053,061	350,763	1,096,544	2,500,368
North West Anglia NHS Foundation Trust	20	11,698,884	647,562	1,593,386	13,939,831
Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust	19	3,020,810	356,603	1,787,688	5,165,101

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ClaimOutcome ClosedSettled	Damages Paid Y				
Member Name	No. of Claims	Damages Paid	NHS Legal Costs Paid	Claimant Legal Costs Paid	Total Paid
Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust	19	1,336,695	272,114	899,355	2,508,164
St George's University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	18	10,381,953	637,091	3,025,250	14,044,294
Tameside and Glossop Integrated Care NHS Foundation Trust	18	1,332,741	211,526	1,010,693	2,554,961
Homerton Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust	18	716,584	173,013	957,285	1,846,881
East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust	18	1,054,997	336,131	835,800	2,226,928
Wirral University Teaching Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	18	3,890,642	375,573	1,528,702	5,794,917
Lancashire Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	17	13,058,053	647,427	2,866,866	16,572,345
Cambridge University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	17	877,669	186,561	1,079,383	2,143,613
Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	17	6,410,391	330,005	1,233,512	7,973,908
York and Scarborough Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	17	1,055,874	235,597	1,080,900	2,372,371
Princess Alexandra Hospital NHS Trust (The)	16	3,074,491	401,293	1,737,250	5,213,034
Calderdale & Huddersfield NHS Foundation Trust	16	4,771,860	274,174	1,186,250	6,232,284
Royal Surrey County Hospital NHS Foundation Trust (The)	16	1,084,727	281,094	1,596,525	2,962,346
Great Western Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	16	1,310,883	210,183	1,099,658	2,620,724
Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust (The)	15	970,904	162,139	866,846	1,999,890
Ashford & St Peter's Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	15	4,018,149	271,542	1,311,914	5,601,605
University Hospitals of Morecambe Bay NHS Foundation Trust	15	2,391,094	167,327	936,070	3,494,491
Northern Lincolnshire & Goole Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	15	785,402	123,193	668,650	1,577,245
University Hospitals Bristol & Weston NHS Foundation Trust	15	1,557,070	440,896	1,352,619	3,350,585
Gloucestershire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	15	440,787	79,419	455,848	976,054
Countess of Chester Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	15	15,341,311	474,158	1,516,108	17,331,577
University Hospitals Plymouth NHS Trust	14	882,429	198,128	857,307	1,937,864
London North West University Healthcare NHS Trust	14	605,983	183,443	861,045	1,650,471
University Hospitals Dorset NHS Foundation Trust	14	1,398,531	133,889	796,916	2,329,336
Torbay & South Devon NHS Foundation Trust	14	1,082,233	251,398	1,073,297	2,406,927
Bradford Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	14	601,042	91,257	480,854	1,173,153
Bedfordshire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	14	1,472,434	233,095	1,176,618	2,882,147
South Tees Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	14	2,551,052	264,165	832,631	3,647,848
Northampton General Hospital NHS Trust	13	892,758	179,143	1,062,553	2,134,455
Dartford and Gravesham NHS Trust	13	574,310	71,738	431,643	1,077,691
Dorset County Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	12	649,715	114,822	519,866	1,284,403
Somerset NHS Foundation Trust	12	627,434	86,216	308,526	1,022,177
Gateshead Health NHS Foundation Trust	12	618,204	219,891	706,400	1,544,495
The Rotherham NHS Foundation Trust	12	1,444,174	301,061	1,533,200	3,278,435
Surrey and Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust	12	658,469	228,117	837,977	1,724,563
East and North Hertfordshire NHS Trust	12	1,323,964	145,951	557,331	2,027,246
Shrewsbury and Telford Hospital NHS Trust	12	543,323	183,267	575,246	1,301,836
Bolton NHS Foundation Trust	12	607,545	108,174	591,727	1,307,446
Kettering General Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	11	633,913	108,386	531,525	1,273,824
Warrington and Halton Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	11	5,274,365	387,276	1,220,212	6,881,854
Royal Wolverhampton NHS Trust (The)	11	333,500	97,613	429,366	860,479
University Hospital Southampton NHS Foundation Trust	11	489,221	113,541	701,553	1,304,315
Airedale NHS Foundation Trust	11	379,040	70,129	381,350	830,519
Sherwood Forest Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	11	241,163	46,122	278,006	565,291
Northumbria Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust	10	259,384	38,624	299,720	597,728
Birmingham Women's and Children's NHS Foundation Trust	10	5,627,599	277,671	547,393	6,452,664
Harrogate & District NHS Foundation Trust	10	679,598	169,494	518,625	1,367,717
Stockport NHS Foundation Trust	10	1,144,853	161,340	487,787	1,793,980
Lewisham & Greenwich NHS Trust	9	569,467	175,791	630,750	1,376,008
Buckinghamshire Healthcare NHS Trust	9	1,599,976	133,432	739,850	2,473,258
The Royal Orthopaedic Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	9	320,081	149,467	493,160	962,709
Hillingdon Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (The)	9	321,949	87,777	408,573	818,299
Croydon Health Services NHS Trust	8	1,916,399	198,912	801,750	2,917,061
Royal United Hospitals Bath NHS Foundation Trust	8	586,279	237,762	929,172	1,753,213
Chesterfield Royal Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	8	242,040	105,412	410,875	758,328
North Cumbria Integrated Care NHS Foundation Trust	7	641,399	129,757	600,044	1,371,200
George Eliot Hospital NHS Trust	7	4,112,031	329,172	622,500	5,063,703
Walton Centre NHS Foundation Trust (The)	7	3,147,856	252,686	845,679	4,246,221

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.

Table 4: Number and Cost of Clinical Claims Closed (or settled with a periodical payment order) between financial years '2014/15' and '2024/25' with a damages payment where the Primary Cause is 'Fail to Warn-Informed Consent' 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. Broken down by Member.

ClaimOutcome	Damages Paid
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Member Name	No. of Claims	Damages Paid	NHS Legal Costs Paid	Claimant Legal Costs Paid	Total Paid
Salisbury NHS Foundation Trust	7	2,619,505	191,437	672,144	3,483,086
Medway NHS Foundation Trust	6	312,831	101,325	546,240	960,396
Mid Cheshire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	6	243,562	54,149	308,313	606,024
Isle of Wight NHS Trust	6	304,137	27,704	304,677	636,518
Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital NHS Trust	6	322,256	57,905	170,593	550,753
Kingston and Richmond NHS Foundation Trust	5	247,820	34,353	236,500	518,673
West Suffolk NHS Foundation Trust	5	96,000	24,867	159,937	280,804
Wye Valley NHS Trust	5	93,270	23,476	160,000	276,746
Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	5	156,763	46,515	165,850	369,128
Grand Total	2,596	379,504,112	43,978,611	168,216,850	591,699,572