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**RE: Freedom of Information Request**

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**14<sup>th</sup> November 2023**

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 5<sup>th</sup> November 2023 in which you asked:

- 1. The number of patients referred for weight loss surgery in the area covered by this NHS Trust.**
  - 2. The sex ratio (% male and % female) of these patients referred for weight loss surgery.**
  - 3. The number of patients referred for weight management services.**
  - 4. The sex ratio of these patients referred for weight management services.**
- I'd like this data for the last 5 years, broken down by year please.**

I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that we do not hold the information you have requested. We do not provide bariatric services at the Trust.

Under Section 16 of the Act we have a duty to provide advice and assistance. Please contact Nottingham university Hospitals NHS Trust [FOI@nuh.nhs.uk](mailto:FOI@nuh.nhs.uk) who may hold this information.

Should you have any further enquiries or queries about this response please do not hesitate to contact me. However, if you are unhappy with the way in which your request has been handled, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to: Sally Brook Shanahan, Director of Corporate Affairs, King's Mill Hospital, Mansfield Road, Sutton in Ashfield, Nottinghamshire, NG17 4JL or email [sally.brookshanahan@nhs.net](mailto:sally.brookshanahan@nhs.net).

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Yours faithfully

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