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REQUEST

I am writing to request information related to pelvic organ prolapse statistics held by St Helens and Knowsley Hospitals NHS Trust under the above mentioned Act. In terms of pelvic organs, I refer to the pelvic organs such as the bladder, uterus, vagina, bowel, and rectum. I would like you to provide me with the following information:

- The total figure for St Helens and Knowsley Hospitals NHS Trust spending on treatment for pelvic organ prolapse for the last available fiscal year.
- The number of males and females that were admitted to hospitals under St Helens and Knowsley Hospitals NHS Trust as a result of pelvic organ prolapse between 01 April 2017 and 01 April 2018.
- The total number of pelvic organ prolapse surgeries that were performed between 01 April 2017 and 01 April 2018.
- The total number of patients who were recommended pelvic floor muscle training as treatment for their pelvic organ prolapse between 01 April 2017 and 01 April 2018.
- How many hysterectomies were performed under the St Helens and Knowsley Hospitals NHS Trust between 01 April 2017 and 01 April 2018? Please could you also provide the top 5 causes of these hysterectomies and their contributing percentage to the total figure.

Please provide the information for male and female statistics separately. If the data is not available between 2017-2018, please provide data for the next available year.

RESPONSE

Under section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act St Helens & Knowsley Teaching Hospitals Trust does not have to comply with a request if we estimate that the cost of complying with your request would exceed the appropriate limit of £450. The appropriate limit has been specified in regulations. This represents the estimated cost of one person spending 2½ working days in answering the remainder of your questions. Under section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act the Department is not obliged to comply with your request and we will not be processing your request further.