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REQUEST

Please can you tell me how many elective patients at the trust were referred to private providers in 2012-13, 2013-14 and 2014-15, so far?

Please could you provide a figure for each financial year detailed above?

Please could you also tell me how many of these referrals were turned down by the private provider and include the reason, if any was given.

RESPONSE

2012/2013 – 174 patients referred, 134 treated, 41 patients returned (high bmi, patients changed mind, unable to accommodate within breach, unfit for surgery)

2013/2014 – 104 patients referred, 43 treated, 46 patients returned same reasons as above

2014/2015 - 0