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**REQUEST**

1. For the calendar year of 2019, please could you tell me how many individual MRI examinations were performed overall?

**23,830**

2. For the calendar year of 2019, please could you give a breakdown of the individual MRI examinations performed into body part/area? For instance, how many brain scans, spine scans etc. I am happy with whichever body part description is input in the PACS system.

Body Part/Area	MRI examinations performed in 2019
Abdomen	55
Adrenal	39
Ankle	219
Arthrogram shoulder	69
Arthrogram wrist	15
Arthrogram Elbow	1
Arthrogram hip	76
Brachial Plexus	15
Breast	94
Buttock	214
Cerebral veins	21
Chest	41
C.Spine	1727
C/T Spine	426
Elbow	52

Finger	15
Foot	275
Forearm	9
Hand	42
Head	4410
Hip	51
IAMs	1597
Knee	3152
Liver	352
Lower leg	59
L. Spine	4394
MRCP	1164
Neck	402
Orbits	149
Pancreas	1
Pelvis	692
Pelvis/gynae	212
Penis	1
Pituitary	230
Prostate	528
Rectum	150
Renal	27
Sacrum	18
Shoulder	108
Sinuses	11
Skull base	19
Small bowel	162
Sternum	3
Whole spine	1267
Thigh	81
Thumb	18
T Spine	1
T/L Spine	762
TMJ	84
Upper arm	23
Urogram	54
Wrist	229
Venogram	14
<b>Total</b>	<b>23830</b>

3. As of March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021, how many MRI requests are on the waiting list waiting to be scanned? Please could I have this broken down into individual body part/examination too (like in question 2)?

<b>Body Part/Area</b>	<b>Waiting on 01/03/2021 appointed and not appointed</b>
Abdomen	3
Adrenal	1
Ankle	14
Arthrogram shoulder	10
Arthrogram ankle	1
Arthrogram hip	4
Brachial Plexus	3
Breast	2
Buttock	16
Chest	2
C.Spine	103
C/T Spine	35
Elbow	3
Finger	1
Foot	10
Hand	1
Head	147
Hip	5
IAMs	97
Knee	141
Liver	23
Lower leg	6
L. Spine	214
MRCP	37
Neck	18
Orbits	9
Pelvis	14
Pelvis/gynae	4
Pituitary	15
Prostate	10
Rectum	5
Renal	1
Sacrum	3
Shoulder	8
SI Joints	15
Sinuses	2
Skull base	4
Small bowel	10
Whole spine	58
Thigh	5
Thumb	1

T/L Spine	37
TMJ	5
Upper arm	1
Urogram	1
Wrist	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>1113</b>

4. How much money was paid to private companies during the calendar year 2019 for the outsourcing of MRI either to mobile MRI units, private hospitals or private companies staffing hospital scanners to scan NHS patients?

**Zero**

5. From question 4 which companies were used and how many patients were scanned?

**Zero**