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Our Ref: TSD10823

Dear Sir/Madam

Request for Information

We are writing to confirm that we have now completed our search for the information you requested.

A copy of the information is below:

Please can you provide the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000:

1. The total number of surgical procedures performed for Thoracic Outlet Syndrome (TOS) at your trust in each of the following financial years:

- 2021/22
- 2022/23
- 2023/24
- 2024/25
- 2025/26 (or the most recent 12-month period available)

[The trust does not perform thoracic surgery](#)

2. For each financial year, please provide a breakdown of these surgeries by the type of TOS diagnosed:

- Neurogenic TOS (nTOS)
- Venous TOS (vTOS)
- Arterial TOS (aTOS)

[Not applicable](#)

3. The medical specialty of the lead consultant surgeons performing these procedures (e.g., vascular surgery, thoracic surgery, or orthopaedic surgery).

[Not applicable](#)

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Yours sincerely,

Freedom of Information Team