Torbay and South Devon
NHS Foundation Trust

Email: foi.tsdft@nhs.net
Our Ref: TSD10899

21 October 2026

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:

For the most recently completed financial year:

- **How many suspected skin cancer (2WW) referrals did your Trust receive?**
  9245
- **What was the average waiting time for patients referred on the skin cancer pathway?**
  The average waiting time could not be obtained, however waiting times ranged from 1 day to 6 weeks.
- **Does your Trust outsource any:**
  - **Skin cancer assessment services?**
    No
  - **Skin cancer treatment services?**
    No
  - **Dermatology services?**
    No
- **If yes, please provide:**
  - **Provider name:**
    Not applicable
  - **Annual activity volume**
    Not applicable

- **Activity volume FY 24/25:**
  Not applicable
- **Activity volume 25/26:**
  Not applicable
- **Annual spend:**
  Not applicable
- **Contract start date:**
  Not applicable
- **Contract end date:**
  Not applicable

- **Are there any plans to re-procure or expand these services within the next 24 months?**
  Yes
- **Please provide the name and job title of the senior officer responsible for the service.**
  Emma Dutton, Operations Manager - Dermatology and Rheumatology

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Yours sincerely,

Freedom of Information Team