

Scans MRI Incident

Reference Number: RDF1720-23

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Further to your Freedom of Information Act request, please find the Trust's response(s) below:

Please be aware that the Royal Devon University Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust (Royal Devon) has existed since 1st April 2022 following the integration of the Northern Devon Healthcare NHS Trust (known as Northern Services) and the Royal Devon and Exeter NHS Foundation Trust (known as Eastern Services).

Please tell me with respect to the financial year 2022/23:

- *For all of the incidents captured under 2 and 3 above in 2022/23, can you please provide a verbatim copy of the description of the adverse event?*
- *NOTE: If your Trust does not use the Datix system but an alternative like the Ulysses system, please provide the closest analogue to that described above.*
- *Please do a search based on relevant words and then review to ensure they meet the criteria outlined above of non-declared passive and active metal implant incidents in MRI scans.*
- *Another alternative, if your Trust lacks the Datix system, could be to search for safety incidents logged under the location 'MRI'.*

1) *How many incidents were reported by your Trust on the Datix incident reporting system under the category 'MRI safety'?*

Answer: Category not present on our system. All incidents recorded under exact location: MRI referenced for Q2 and Q3.

2) *How many of these MRI safety Datix incident reports were listed under the division, 'MRI Non Declared Internal Passive Metallic Implant'?*

Answer: Nil.

3) *How many of these MRI safety Datix incident reports were under the division 'MRI Non Declared Internal Active Metallic Implant'?*

Answer: Nil.