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## Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 13 April 2018.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

1. Do any of your hospitals currently contain asbestos?

Yes

2. How many reported incidents of asbestos exposure have there been in any of your hospital buildings over the past five years (between January 2013 – December 2017).

None

3. How many claims have ever been made against your trust for asbestos related exposure/disease including but not exclusively for mesothelioma.

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4. How many of these claims have been settled?

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5. What is the amount of money that has been paid in settlement of these claims where your Trust did not go through NHS Resolution (formerly the NHS Litigation Authority)? Please include claims with and without your trust/board accepting responsibility and claims made through any other insurance schemes excluding the NHSLA/NHS Resolutions.

Nil. The 1 claim made again the Trust went through NHS Resolution.

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Yours sincerely,

Freedom Of Information Co-ordinator For and on behalf of Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

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