

**Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

Thank you for your request for information which we received on Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2023. I am pleased to confirm the following.

- 1. Overall based on the total number of referrals, what is your minimum, maximum and median waiting times in days from the date referral received to initial appointment with healthcare professional regarding treatment for varicose veins. Please provide this information for each calendar year for the past five years.**
- 2. Overall based on the total number of referrals, what is your minimum, maximum and median waiting times in days from the date referral received to a surgical procedure to treat varicose veins. Please provide this information for each calendar year for the past five years.**
- 3. What is the total number of annual referrals for treatment for varicose veins each year for the past five years?**
- 4. How many surgeries for varicose veins have been performed each year for the past five years?**

Please see attached document.

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If you need any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us at the address above.

Yours sincerely,

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

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