

Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 12 October 2018.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

1. What is the total amount of revenue that the Trust brought in by these charges?

There has been no cost to the Trust for implementing the upfront charging regulations, Overseas Officer already in post.

2. What is the total cost (or estimated cost) to the Trust of implementing these rules? (Including staffing costs).

N/A

3. Please provide a breakdown of all the charges that have been collected by the Trust. This should be itemised by the list of categories that is included in the [overseas patient upfront tariff price list](#). For each speciality/category, please state:

- (a) the total number of times that patients have been charged for this category of treatment;**
- (b) the total amount of money collected for this category of treatment.**

The Trust does not record this information in a way which it can be broken down by category or itemised, therefore we are unable to provide this information.

The Trust uses the national tariff for its billing process and adds the top up element accordingly when billing overseas patients.

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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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