

## *Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000*

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 16 April 2019.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

**(1) the amount spent in pounds sterling on sexual health postal testing kits (which are sent through the post to a patient's home and then returned by them for analysis) in the past three financial years: 2018-19; 2017-18; 2016-17 – up to the latest year for which data is held.**

2017/18 – £186.88

2018/19 – £547.50

**(2) the number of sexual health postal testing kits sent to patients in the past three years (figures for each year)**

2017/18 – 128

2018/19 – 375

**(3) the number of sexual health postal testing kits returned to the authority in the same years (figures for each year)**

2017/18 – 44

2018/19 – 184

Please note the Trust does not hold figures for 2016/17 as during this time an online service was in place.

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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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