



Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 26 May 2020.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

Please can you tell me how many Coronavirus tests the trust has used on patients between 1st March 2020 and today's date (4th June 2020).

5,008 tests used during the specified period (offsite testing)

Please can you tell me both the number of patients that have been tested, and the number of tests carried out (i.e. if a patient has been tested more than once).

No. of patients tested = 4,698, no. of tests carried out= 5,008 (310 patients duplicate testing).

In each case, please can you tell me how long it took for the trust to receive the patients' test result. If you do not have data for every patient, please can you provide me with the average length of time it has taken to get test results for all patients.

The average test turnaround time was 48 hours during the specified period.

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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

As a teaching hospital, we conduct education and research to improve healthcare for our patients. During your visit students may be involved in your care, or you may be asked to participate in a clinical trial. Please speak to your doctor or nurse if you have any concerns. Chief Executive: Joe Harrison Chairman: Simon Lloyd For and on behalf of Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

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