

Date of Report: 03/06/2024

FOI - 333 - Chronic Oedema

Questions	Notes/Comments	Response
<p>How many admissions you had in the last 12 months for patients with cellulitis to the lower limbs?</p>	<p>Detailed in the response column is the number of inpatients discharged from MKUH between the 1st of May 2023 to the 30th of April 2024 with the below ICD10 codes assigned to their inpatient spell:</p> <p>L97: Ulcer of lower limb, not elsewhere classified L031: Nephroureterectomy NEC - identifying Cellulitis of other parts of limb</p> <p>Please note the following: We have supplied the latest 12 months May 2023 to April 2024 that are currently fully coded. A patient will be counted more than once if they had multiple admissions during the date range above.</p>	<p>1018</p>
<p>How many patients over the past 12 months were admitted for a lower limb infection (perhaps not coded as cellulitis)?</p>	<p>Detailed in the response column is the number of inpatients discharged from MKUH between the 1st of May 2023 to the 30th of April 2024 where the patient is coded with:</p> <p>I832: Varicose veins of lower extremities with both ulcer and inflammation</p> <p>or a combination of any of the below ICD10 codes assigned in any order to their inpatient spell:</p> <p>L089: Bilateral nephrectomy L97: Ulcer of lower limb, not elsewhere classified</p> <p>Please note the following: We have supplied the latest 12 months May 2023 to April 2024 that are currently fully coded. The results does not look for primary diagnosis and so not necessarily the reason for admission – the diagnosis codes can be anywhere in the spell.</p>	<p>135</p>