

ND ref. **FOI/17/330**

***Freedom of Information***

Thank you for your 14/11/17 request for the following information:

*I am writing under the Freedom of Information Act to request information from your NHS Trust regarding overseas visitors who have been charged for NHS care and are exempt from reciprocal arrangements within the UK.*

*Please could you tell me:*

- 1. The total number of overseas visitors who were invoiced for using the trust's services for each of the financial years: a) 2014/15 b) 2015/16 c) 2016/17*

Answer: 2014/15 17  
2015/16 18  
2016/17 18

- 2. The total amount of outstanding money owed to your trust by overseas visitors charged for healthcare for each of the financial years: a) 2014/15 b) 2015/16 c) 2016/17*

Answer: 2014/15 £21884.88  
2015/16 £21192.70  
2016/17 £15716.14

- 3. The total amount of money actually recovered by your trust from overseas visitors charged for healthcare for each of the financial years: a) 2014/15 b) 2015/16 c) 2016/17*

Answer: 2014/5 £13904.99  
2015/6 £12482.45  
2016/7 £18827.12

- 4. The highest unpaid bill for an overseas visitor for the financial year 2016/17. If possible, please also provide details of the patient's nationality, the treatment/ care provided and the total cost*

Answer: Due to the low volume of overseas patients treated providing this level of information could potentially identify the patient.