



Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Request Ref: NGFOI 16/17: 430

Thank you for your request for information received at Northampton General Hospital NHS Trust (NGH) on 09/11/16.

I am pleased that we are now able to provide you with a response to your request as shown below.

You requested:

- 1) How many foreign objects were removed from patients at NGH?
- 2) Please provide a breakdown for each case to: what the object was, where it was removed from, how it was removed (ie surgically, pulled out), the month each case was
- 3) If the information is held, please provide a brief explanation as to how each object got there

Response from Northampton General Hospital NHS Trust (NGH):

I can confirm on behalf of the Trust and in accordance with S.1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) that we do not hold the information that you have requested.

We can provide the number of patient admitted with main diagnosis code T15 - T19 (Effects of foreign body entering through natural orifice)

Jan 2016 to date

NB/ Please note that the patients shown as admitted will also be included in the patients attending A&E

Row Labels	Sum of Number of Spells
Foreign body in alimentary tract	8
Foreign body in descending colon	1
Foreign body in pelvic colon	1
Foreign body in respiratory tree	1
Foreign body in trachea/bronchus/lung	8
Foreign body in transverse colon	1
Foreign body in anus/rectum	4
Foreign body in caecum	1
Foreign body in duodenum	1
Foreign body in ear	16
Foreign body in ileum	1
Foreign body in jejunum	2
Foreign body in main bronchus	1
Foreign body in mouth	6
Foreign body in nose	4
Foreign body in oesophagus	21

Foreign body in pharynx	4
Foreign body in rectum	1
Foreign body in stomach	22
Foreign body in vagina	2
Foreign body in vulva/vagina	1
Foreign body on external eye	1
Grand Total	108
Jan 2016 to date	
Patients attending A&E with Foreign Body	554

2. and 3. I can confirm on behalf of the Trust and in accordance with S.1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) that we do not hold the information in the manner that you have requested.