

Freedom of Information Request

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***Note to Applicant:** As of 1 April 2017, North Essex Partnership University NHS Foundation Trust (NEP) and South Essex Partnership University NHS Foundation Trust (SEPT) merged to form one new organisation known as Essex Partnership University NHS Foundation Trust (EPUT).

Information Requested:

- 1 How much does it cost your NHS trust to surgically remove a foreign object from a patient?
- 2 How many patients have had foreign objects surgically removed from their bodies across your NHS trust from July 2017 to July 2018?
- 3 How many of those patients had sex toys surgically removed from their bodies between July 2017 and July 2018?
- 4 How many patients have attended A&E requiring medical assistance to remove a sex toy / sex instrument from their bodies between July 2017 and July 2018?

Essex Partnership University NHS Foundation Trust is a mental health partnership Trust and as such does not provide any surgical services apart from podiatry community services. As such the Trust cannot answer your request.