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Date: 26/01/24  
Subject: Botched Non-Surgical Procedures

## REQUEST

I would like to request the following information regarding patients seeking treatment for physical complications from non-surgical procedures, such as nodule formation, discolouration, migration and herpetic outbreaks:

1. The total number of patients that have been treated at all your hospitals for botched non-surgical procedures for quarter 2 of 2023/24.
2. The total cost of treating botched non-surgical procedures at all your hospitals for quarter 2 of 2023/24.
3. The total number of patients that all of your hospitals have referred to private clinics to treat botched non-surgical procedures for quarter 2 of 2023/24.

## RESPONSE

St Helens and Knowsley Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust and Southport and Ormskirk Hospital NHS Trust became a single legal entity known as Mersey and West Lancashire Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust on 1<sup>st</sup> July 2023, as such parts of the response may be provided in two sections relating to the hospital sites of each of the legacy organisations.

1. The total number of patients that have been treated at all your hospitals for botched non-surgical procedures for quarter 2 of 2023/24.

There is no code for 'botched non-surgical procedures' we only code information if there was a complication but this is not indicative of a 'botch'.

2. The total cost of treating botched non-surgical procedures at all your hospitals for quarter 2 of 2023/24.

The Trust is unable to provide a response as this information is not coded.

- 3. The total number of patients that all of your hospitals have referred to private clinics to treat botched non-surgical procedures for quarter 2 of 2023/24.**

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