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Dear

FOI-0724-908

Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information received on the 5th July 2024. We can confirm that the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Integrated Care Board can provide the following information.

An anonymised copy of this response will be made publicly available on the ICB website.

Please see our responses in blue below:

I would like to make a formal FOI request on data for the following neurosurgery procedures and their totals performed by individual surgeons within your trust between 01.04.2023 – 01.04.2024:

- **A02 Excision of lesion of tissue of brain (Clean)**
- **A02.1 Excision of lesion of tissue of frontal lobe of brain**
- **A02.2 Excision of lesion of tissue of temporal lobe of brain**
- **A02.3 Excision of lesion of tissue of parietal lobe of brain**
- **A02.4 Excision of lesion of tissue of occipital lobe of brain**
- **A02.5 Excision of lesion of tissue of cerebellum**
- **A02.6 Excision of lesion of tissue of brain stem**
- **A02.8 Other specified**
- **A02.9 Unspecified**

- **A05 Drainage of lesion of tissue of brain (Clean)**
- **A05.1 Drainage of abscess of tissue of brain**
- **A05.2 Evacuation of haematoma from temporal lobe of brain**
- **A05.3 Evacuation of haematoma from cerebellum**
- **A05.4 Evacuation of intracerebral haematoma NEC**

- A05.8 Other specified
- A05.9 Unspecified

- A07 Other open operations on tissue of brain (Clean)
- A07.1 Open division of tissue of brain
- A07.2 Removal of foreign body from tissue of brain
- A07.3 Exploration of tissue of brain
- A07.4 Excision of abscess of tissue of brain

- A38 Extirpation of lesion of meninges of brain (Clean)
- Note: Principal category, extended at A43
- A38.1 Extirpation of lesion of meninges of cortex of brain
- A38.2 Extirpation of lesion of meninges of sphenoidal ridge of cranium
- A38.3 Extirpation of lesion of meninges of subfrontal region of brain
- A38.4 Extirpation of lesion of meninges of parasagittal region of brain
- A38.5 Extirpation of lesion of falx cerebri
- A38.6 Extirpation of lesion of tentorium cerebelli
- A38.8 Other specified
- A38.9 Unspecified

- V03 Opening of cranium (Clean)
- V03.1 Exploratory open craniotomy
- Includes: Open craniotomy
- V03.2 Re opening of cranium and re-exploration of intracranial operation site and surgical arrest
- of postoperative bleeding
- V03.3 Re opening of cranium and re-exploration of intracranial operation site NEC

- B01 Excision of pituitary gland (Clean)
- B01.1 Transethmoidal hypophysectomy
- B01.2 Trans-sphenoidal hypophysectomy
- B01.3 Trans-septal hypophysectomy
- B01.4 Transcranial hypophysectomy
- B01.8 Other specified
- B01.9 Unspecified

Please be advised that the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent ICB does not hold this data. Your request should be sent to the following Providers:

University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust

<https://www.uhnm.nhs.uk/contact-us/>

University Hospitals of Derby and Burton NHS Trust

<https://www.uhdb.nhs.uk/freedom-of-information-foi/>

Royal Wolverhampton NHS Trust

<https://www.royalwolverhampton.nhs.uk/about-us/freedom-of-information/>

University Hospitals of Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust

<https://www.uhb.nhs.uk/freedom-of-information.htm>

Should you require any further information or clarification regarding this response please do not hesitate to contact us. If you are dissatisfied with the response, you are entitled to request an internal review which should be formally requested in writing and must be within two calendar months from the date this response was issued.

To request an internal review

You can request an internal review by contacting the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Integrated Care Board FOI team by emailing the team at StaffsStokeFOI@staffsstoke.icb.nhs.uk or by post to the address at the top of this letter.

If you are not content with the outcome of your internal review, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Integrated Care Board's FOI complaints procedure.

The ICO can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
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Yours sincerely

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