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Re: Freedom of Information Request Ref: 274-2020

Thank you for your email dated the 20th November, requesting information in relation to scheduled procedures/appointments.

The information that you require is as follows:

This is a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. My request relates to the backlog of appointments within The Clatterbridge Cancer Centre NHS Foundation Trust.

I would like to request the following information relating to the following periods:

1. How many of the following scheduled procedures/appointments were cancelled by the Trust:

i) Elective operations = 0
ii) Appointments made via urgent cancer referrals = 0
iii) Mammograms = Not applicable to the Trust

During the following periods:

i) 2019-2020 – See above
ii) 2020-to date – See Above

NB. I do not require the reasons for the cancellations.

2. How many of the following scheduled procedures/appointments were pushed back by the Trust:

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i) Elective operations = 0
ii) Appointments made via urgent cancer referrals = 0
iii) Mammograms = Not applicable to the Trust
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For the following time frames:

i) Up to one month – See above
ii) Up to three months – See above
iii) Up to six months – See above
iv) Up to a year – See above
v) Indefinitely – See above

During the following periods:

i) 2019-2020 – **See above** ii) 2020-to date – **See above**

NB. I do not require the reasons behind the delay/re-scheduling.

Should you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me on the email address provided below.

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for this to be investigated internally.

If you are dissatisfied with the information you have received, you have the right to ask for an internal review.

Both processes will be handled in accordance with our Trust's Freedom of Information Policy and the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Internal investigation and internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to: Freedom of Information Review, The Clatterbridge Cancer Centre NHS Foundation Trust, Clatterbridge Road, Bebington, Wirral, CH63 4JY

If you are not satisfied with the outcome of the internal investigation/review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.