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Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Request for Information

Thank you for submitting a request for information which we received on 25 February 2020 in relation to County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust (the Trust). Your request has been processed under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and I am now able to provide you with a response.

Firstly please accept my apologies for the time taken to respond. Your request was in relation to treatment of hip fractures and I am providing the following information in response to your specific questions:

We would be grateful if you could provide the following information for each location/hospital you treat hip fractures at:

Trust name: County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust.

Hospital name: University Hospital of North Durham

1. Number of individual orthogeriatricians that provided care for hip fracture patients at this hospital in 2017:

One

2. Total number of Direct clinical care (DCC) sessions dedicated for hip fracture patients per week at this hospital in 2017:

5 dedicated DCC sessions per week.

3. Name of Coroner's area / court this hospital is within:

County Durham.

- 4. Type of hemiarthroplasty most commonly used at this hospital currently (e.g. Thompson's):**

Exeter Trauma Stem.

- 5. Manufacturer of this hemiarthroplasty (e.g. DePuy):**

Stryker.

- 6. Material this hemiarthroplasty is made from (e.g. Cobalt chrome / stainless steel / titanium / other):**

Stainless Steel.

Hospital name: Darlington Memorial Hospital

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In line with the Information Commissioner's directive on the disclosure of information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 your request will form part of our

disclosure log on the Trust's website. However please be assured that we anonymise all responses prior to adding them to the disclosure log.

I hope that this response has provided you with the information you had requested. If you have any queries or wish to discuss the information supplied, please do not hesitate to contact me by telephone or in writing. If however, you are dissatisfied with the way in which your request has been handled and would like an internal review, you will need to contact me in writing at the above address or via cdda-tr.cddftfoi@nhs.

If you remain dissatisfied with our response following an internal review you have the right to appeal to The Information Commissioner at Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. More information is available on their website; www.ico.gov.uk.

Yours sincerely

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