



Freedom of Information request & West Norfolk CCG response

WN-2016-00199 – Implant Removals

1. How much has your CCG spent on breast implant removal in the last five years?

Please note, the CCGs came into existence as a statutory body from 1 April 2013 therefore information prior to this date is not held.

In relation to the information requested from 1 April 2013 onwards, please see below:

CCG	Spend
NHS North Norfolk	£7,242
NHS South Norfolk	£10,599
NHS West Norfolk	£5,370
NHS Norwich	£2,068

2. Of that amount, how much was spent on removing PIP implants?

The information requested is not held.

The CCGs do not hold any records on whether any requests for breast implant removal were approved on removing PIP implants.

3. How much has your CCG spent on breast implant surgery in the past five years?

Please note, the CCGs came into existence as a statutory body from 1 April 2013 therefore information prior to this date is not held.

In relation to the information requested from 1 April 2013 onwards, the CCGs have spent nil on breast implant surgery. The CCGs do not fund implant surgery.

- 4. Of that, how many were for psychological reasons and NOT post mastectomy/cancer or severe chest trauma? Is it possible to break down why the surgery was carried out on the NHS?**

Nil.

The CCGs do not approve requests due to psychological reasons.