FOI 2323

Date 26/06/2023

Dear Requester,

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request. Please note, this is a cross-site response for Bedford site and Luton site.

You asked:

1. The number of adverse incidents caused by faulty equipment in your emergency department in each of the last 5 calendar years

None

1. The number of deaths caused by faulty equipment in your emergency department in each of the last 5 calendar years

None

1. The age of the oldest MRI scanner currently in use in your trust

5 years old

1. The age of the oldest CT scanner currently in use in your trust

11 years old

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Yours sincerely,

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