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The Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust Response to Information request

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Requested Information

How many procedures which required a post-operative in-patient bed were performed under the care of an anaesthetist in your hospital between 14th November 2022 8am and 13th November 2023 8am? These procedures should exclude obstetric, cardiac and any patient <18 years of age and of course day case surgery. Procedures will almost always, but not exclusively be surgery.

Ideally, we would like this split on a week-by-week basis to enable us to evaluate the trends across the year, however if this is not feasible, having the overall figure will still be valuable for us when analysing the results of our data.

Thank you for your assistance. We hope this analysis, including the review of your data, will enable us to have a better understanding for the need for post-operative or enhanced care beds. Our findings will be shared in commissioning discussions for Integrated Care Boards in the South West and into the Critical Care Programme Board at NHSE. Our goal is to level off provision of critical care and enhanced care beds for our patients across the South West and reduce health inequalities in this area.

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Procedures which required a post-operative inpatient bed stay

14/11/2022 - 13/11/2023

Week Commencing	Patients / Procedures per Week
2022	626
14-Nov	91
21-Nov	108
28-Nov	109
05-Dec	95
12-Dec	90
19-Dec	74
26-Dec	59

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2023	4297
02-Jan	87
09-Jan	87
16-Jan	57
23-Jan	104
30-Jan	114
06-Feb	51
13-Feb	101
20-Feb	110
27-Feb	111
06-Mar	101
13-Mar	80
20-Mar	94
27-Mar	76
03-Apr	74
10-Apr	42
17-Apr	106
24-Apr	99
01-May	90
08-May	90
15-May	85
22-May	98
29-May	99
05-Jun	106
12-Jun	90
19-Jun	121
26-Jun	93
03-Jul	88
10-Jul	100
17-Jul	63
24-Jul	92
31-Jul	124
07-Aug	107
14-Aug	106
21-Aug	92
28-Aug	89
04-Sep	89
11-Sep	125
18-Sep	100
25-Sep	130
02-Oct	71
09-Oct	92
16-Oct	121

23-Oct	99
30-Oct	121
06-Nov	107
13-Nov	15
Grand Total	4923

Attachment(s)

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