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Re: Freedom of Information Request – Individual Funding Requests (IFR's)

Thank you for your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which was received into this office on 6th January 2020.

You Asked for:

For each of the last three calendar years, could you tell us how many IFRs have been processed for the following treatments:

1. Total hip replacements
2. Total knee replacements
3. Hernia repair
4. Cataract surgery

For each of the last three calendar years, could you tell us how many IFRs have been approved for the following treatments:

1. Total hip replacements
2. Total knee replacements
3. Hernia repair
4. Cataract surgery

Our Response:

Please see the table below:

Treatment Requested	2017		2018		2019		Grand Total
	Approved	Total received	Approved	Total received	Approved	Total received	
Cataract Surgery	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Hernia Repair	1	1	0	0	0	0	1
Hip Replacement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Knee Replacement	0	2	0	2	0	0	4
Grand Total	1	3	0	3	0	0	6

We hope this information is useful, however if you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact a member of the Corporate Affairs Team (contact details at the top of this letter)

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