



FOI 2416

Date 28/07/2023

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:

FY 22/23

1) How many incidents were reported by your Trust on the Datix incident reporting system under the category 'MRI safety'?

2) How many of these MRI safety Datix incident reports were listed under the division, 'MRI Non Declared Internal Passive Metallic Implant'?

3) How many of these MRI safety Datix incident reports were under the division 'MRI Non Declared Internal Active Metallic Implant'?

For all of the incidents captured under 2 and 3 above in 2022/23, can you please provide a verbatim copy of the description of the adverse event?

L&D	Imaging	MRI scanning Department	The patient was almost taken into the MRI scanner with a permanent pacemaker insitu.	No Harm - Any incident that ran to completion but no harm occurred
L&D	Imaging	MRI scanning Department	The patient arrived for MRI. Their safety questionnaire was completed with radiographer 1. They answered no to all contra indications for MRI with full control. Radiographer 1 and 2 checked for other metallic objects. In the scanner between the two thin sheets over the patient a small infusion pump was discovered which was pulled away from the sheets and attached to the magnet wall by the magnetic field.	No Harm - Any incident that ran to completion but no harm occurred



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Yours sincerely,

FOI Officer

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