FOI_0393_22/22 - FOI request concerning - Cancelled Operations (Dental Service)



1. How many operations in total has your Trust cancelled from 1 March 2020 - 1
March 2021 and can you give a breakdown of reasons for the cancellations? How
many were urgent operations?

Adults: 13

Unfit for surgery or ill on day: 4 Patient declined surgery on day: 1 List cancelled because of covid: 8

3 Patients were urgent cases

Children: 122

List cancelled because of covid: 64
Patient unfit for surgery/ill on day: 25
Patient declined (would not cooperate): 5

Moved to following list to accommodate urgent case: 1

Swabbing issues: 8

Patient moved house / contacts changed: 3

Parent Covid concerns: 4 Covid positive results: 3 Isolation Issues:1

Childcare issues: 1
Patient Eaten: 3

Patient was not brought: 4

None of the cases which were cancelled were urgent.

2. How many operations in total has your Trust cancelled from 1 March 2019 - 28 February 2020 and can you give a breakdown of reasons for the cancellations? How many were urgent operations?

Adults - 20

Unfit for surgery or ill on day: 5 Patient declined surgery on day: 7

No ITU bed available for patient with complex medical history: 1

Cancelled by Acute Trust: 6

Patient Eaten: 1

Children - 170

Unfit for surgery or ill on day: 73

Patient declined (would not cooperate): 14 Parent Anxiety / Medical Problems:4

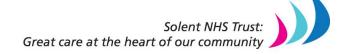
Was not brought: 39 Wedding/Funeral:2

No longer needed treatment 2

Patient Eaten:16

Unable to attend (commitments): 4 2 Sibs on same day (only 1 adult):3

Paperwork not available:3



Parent withdrew consent: 5 No transport to attend: 1

Session Cancelled by Acute Trust: 3

Patient was unable to travel due to weather: 1

Urgent cases: 2

3. How many operations in total has your trust cancelled for Under 16s from 1 March 2020 - 1 March 2021 and can you give a breakdown of reasons for the cancellations? How many were urgent operations?

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Please note: This data does not include patients who could not be booked due to cancelled sessions during the pandemic and hence the figures for 2020/21 do not truly reflect the impact of covid on number of patients receiving care under GA.