

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

RF23-482

Request:

1. Do you provide an MRI on call service?
2. Do you accept referrals ooh from other trusts, if so which ones?
3. Do the requests have to be agreed by a Radiology consultant or registrar?
4. How many radiographers are on the on-call rota?
5. Is the on-call service provided by neuro radiographers only?
6. What provisions do you have for compensatory rest the next day?
7. Please provide average numbers of patients scanned per on call each month over the last year?
8. How many of these patients scanned had a clinical history to rule out cauda Equina?

Response:

We can confirm East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust (EKHUFT) holds the information you have requested.

1. No. MRI operates between 08:00 and 20:00
2. No
3. Yes. EKHUFT has an extended 08:00 to 20:00 service during which time all requests that are received are seen by a consultant.
4. N/A
5. N/A
6. N/A
7. N/A
8. N/A

(DATE OF RESPONSE: 07 AUGUST 2023)

