

2 November 2022

## **Mesh Partially or Fully Removed for Stress Urinary Incontinence**

### **Enquiry:**

Please could you send me details of the number of mesh slings / tapes, which have been partially/fully removed for stress urinary incontinence.

Please could the results be set out in the following way? TVTO - Partial Removal, TVTO - Total (Full) Removal, TVT - Partial Removal and TVT - Total (Full) Removal (July 2018 to current date).

### **Response:**

	July 2018 to June 2019	July 2019 to June 2020	July 2020 to June 2021	July 2021 to June 2022
<b>Partial Removal TVT</b>	<5	<5	0	<5
<b>Total Removal TVT</b>	<5	<5	0	0
<b>Total Removal TVTO</b>	<5	5	0	0
<b>Partial Removal TVTO</b>	7	<5	0	0

**Use of < 5 (less than five):** We are unable to provide an exact figure - exempt from release under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act - as this could make patients personally identifiable. Disclosure would constitute a breach of the principles of the General Data Protection Regulation 2018.