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Hospital Data ICD Codes

Total Primary Diagnosis ICD 10 codes and cases per hospital in BHSCT for each fiscal year from 2018 to 2023?

See attached spreadsheet

Total Primary Procedure OPCS codes and cases per hospital in BHSCT for each fiscal year from 2018 to 2023?

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Request for clarification on response:

- Diagnosis Cases: The numbers are unrealistically low given the size of your two major hospitals::

Belfast City Hospital: 900 bed acute general hospital. Maximum number of cases: 73 in 2019.

Royal Victoria Hospital: 771 bed acute general hospital with a helipad. Maximum number of cases: 87 in 2022.

For all other codes, the cases are even lower.

- Yearly Total Rows: An exact match for both diagnosis and procedures.

- Grand Total Rows: Also an exact match for both diagnosis and procedures.

In summary, the input (diagnosis) is not greater than the output (procedures), which seems highly improbable.

Please can you verify that the figures supplied are accurate and correct?

Please see the attached amended spreadsheet.

This information is sourced from Belfast Health and Social Care Patient Administration System detailing ICD 10 diagnostic codes and OPCS4 Procedure codes in line with national clinical coding standards and provided by case numbers per code.