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Costing of Cochlear Implant Process

Following on from Belfast Trust's response to FOI/32518 on 2 December 2024

Could you confirm whether the cost of a sequential implant in an adult who received a unilateral implant in first instance offers a discounted cost for the Belfast Health and Social Care Trust, when purchasing the second CI internal and external processors from the cochlear company?

There is no discount for sequential implantation. The costs are the same as unilateral implantation, as the same expenses are accrued.