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Dear Sir/Madam

You asked:

- 1. If you treat Bardet-Biedle Syndrome, how many unique patients have you treated in the last 12 months?**
- 2. What % of these patients get a genetic diagnosis prior to them being referred onto specialist centres?**

We do not treat or diagnosis Bardet-Biedl Syndrome at the Trust; we would refer our patients to Manchester University NHS Foundation Trust for specialist opinion. I have included their FOI contact details below for your information.

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If you are not entirely satisfied with this response, please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department via the email address provided. If we do not hear from you within 28 days, we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,



Tracy Boustead  
Acting Chief People Officer

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