**FOI Ref: 6263**

**Category(ies): Clinical – Performance Data**

**Subject: Foreign Objects**

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| **Your request:** | **Our response:** |
| 1. The number of operations your trust has done to remove rectal foreign bodies from patients in the years:
* 2016
* 2017
* 2018
* 2019
* 2020
* 2021
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| Year | Number of Operations |
| 2016 | 54 |
| 2017 | 73 |
| 2018 | 75 |
| 2019 | 65 |
| 2020 | 45 |
| 2021 | 51 |

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| 1. A list of the foreign bodies you have removed.
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| Air gun pellet |
| BAHA |
| Barbed fish-hook  |
| Bead |
| Brass filing |
| Broken needle |
| Canthal pins |
| Carpet nail |
| Cast Iron Flake |
| Ear plug |
| Glass |
| Hair Grips |
| Metal |
| Metal Staple |
| Metal Fragment  |
| Metal Pin |
| Metal Splinter |
| Nail |
| Nail Gun Nail |
| Needle |
| Pen |
| Piece of Metal  |
| Piece of wood |
| Piercing |
| Prosthesis  |
| Ring |
| Screws |
| Sewing Needle  |
| Snapped Needle  |
| Splinter |
| Staple |
| Staples |
| Stone |
| Stones |
| Tissue paper |
| Wire brush tread |
| Wires |
| Wood |
| Wooden splinter |
| Wooden toothpick |

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| 1. Guidelines as to what happens to these foreign bodies once they have been removed.
 | The Rotherham NHS Foundation Trust does not hold a Policy or SOP for this subject.  |