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REQUEST

I also have an additional question that is related to the request. Please find it below. Thank you!

How many people have been identified as having a behavioural addiction which are partly (or wholly) linked to screen usage e.g gambling, porn or gaming, during the following periods:

a. 2020/21

b. 2021/22

c. 2022/23d. 2023/24

e. 2023/24

f. 2025-to date

What is the age and gender of those identified above? (For this question, I am not requesting any information that would identify patients).

RESPONSE

There are no NHS diagnosis codes to identify behavioural addiction. The Trust is therefore unable to respond to this request.