

Ref. No: 2101  
Date: 10<sup>th</sup> October 2025  
Subject: Uneaten Patient Meals

## REQUEST

How many patient meals at the trust were returned uneaten in the 2024-25 financial year?

How many patient meals at the trust were returned uneaten in the 2023-24 financial year?

What is the average cost to the trust of each patient meal?

## RESPONSE

The information you have requested is available for you to access from [Information provided to NHS Publication](#)

Information is exempt from disclosure under the FOIA if the information is available to the applicant by other means. Section 21 states –

***21.—(1) Information which is reasonably accessible to the applicant otherwise than under section 1 is exempt information***