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Further to your request for information dated 24 May 2016 the information requested is below/attached:

- **Catchment population of CCG by age**

  Please see attached.

- **Volumes of cataract surgery performed for each financial year between 2006 and 2016 by name and type of provider (e.g. NHS Hospital, vs. Independent Provider of NHS services)**

  o Prior to CCGs, please provide data from the PCTs

    Please see attached – but only from 2013 when Clinical Commissioning Groups came into existence.

  o Source of referrals (GP, optician, hospital, other) for cataract surgery for each financial year between 2006 and 2016

    o Has e-Referrals (i.e. choose and book) been implemented?

      NHS Dartford Gravesham and Swanley Clinical Commissioning Group has implemented Choose and Book.

    o What is the nature of your referral management system (if any)?

      N/A
o How many referrals by GPs, Opticians, Hospital Doctors or Others are received by the referral management system for cataract surgery, and how many of these are declined?

N/A

- Mean and median waiting times from referral to cataract surgery for each financial year between 2006 and 2016

Please see attached. Please note only for Outpatients attendances, not available for Day Cases in the national datasets.

- Total volume of injections for macular degeneration performed per financial year - between 2006 and 2016

Attached – but only from 2013 when Clinical Commissioning Groups came into existence.

- If recorded, please also provide number of unique patients receiving injections per financial year
Yours sincerely,

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