

**Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002**  
**Environmental Information (Scotland) Regulations 2004**

<b>Date received</b>	29/11/22	<b>Subject</b>	Functional Neurological Disorder	
<b>Date passed</b>	30/11/22	<b>Respond by</b>	20/12/22	
<b>Passed to</b>	Medical Director Information Services		<b>FOI number</b>	2022-556
<b>Category of information requested</b>	H&SC Delivery - Patient / Clinical Management H&SC Delivery - Assessment / Diagnosis / Treatment			

**Question/s to be answered**

1. The number of NHS Functional neurological disorder/conversion disorder/functional seizure specific departments or centres in your Trust.

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2. The most common diagnostic tests used in your Trust to diagnose patients with functional neurological disorder/conversion disorder/functional seizures in the last 5 years.

In accordance with FOISA s 17(1), NHS Shetland confirms that it does not hold the information requested as the responsibility for the diagnosis of NHS Shetland patients with this condition lies with NHS Grampian. An FOI request to NHS Grampian can be submitted at the following email address: [gram.foi@nhs.scot](mailto:gram.foi@nhs.scot)

3. The most common treatments used in your Trust to support patients with Functional neurological disorder/conversion disorder/functional seizures in the last 5 years.

See response to Q2.

4. The number of patients in your Trust diagnosed with Functional neurological disorder/conversion disorder/functional seizures in the last 5 years

From 01/01/2018 to 23/12/2022 the number of patients newly diagnosed with this condition was 46.