

FOI - 3474 RESPONSE INFORMATION

PART 1 - CLAIMS FROM 1 APRIL 2006 TO DATE

1. The number of personal injury or fatal claims notified to CNORIS or handled by the Central Legal Office on behalf of NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde alleging exposure to asbestos on Board premises or in the course of employment with the Board

Years	Number
2006/2007	<5
2007/2008	<5
2008/2009	<5
2009/2010	6
2010/2011	8
2011/2012	<5
2012/2013	<5
2013/2014	8
2014/2015	5
2015/2016	<5
2016/2017	<5
2017/2018	7
2018/2019	7
2019/2020	6
2020/2021	<5
2021/2022	6
2022/2023	6
2023/2024	<5
2024/2025	<5
2025/2026	7
2026-04/09/26	<5

2. Of those claims, the number that (a) were settled with payment, (b) proceeded to proof or decree, (c) were rejected, abandoned or withdrawn, and (d) remain open.

(a) were settled with payment	61
(b) proceeded to proof or decree	0
(c) were rejected, abandoned or withdrawn	30
(d) remain open	10

3. The number in which liability was admitted, in whole or in part.

2023/2024	0
2024/2025	0
2025/2026	0
2026-04/09/26	0

4. The total sums paid in damages and in legal costs, respectively, for these claims.

	Award	Expenses	CLO Legal costs	Total
Settled claims only	£3,798,882.58	£773,622.84	£465,900.08	£5,038,405.50

5. Where the site of alleged exposure is recorded, the number of claims relating to each of the following sites:

Canniesburn Hospital	0
Southern General Hospital (including the Queen Elizabeth University Hospital site)	14
Duntocher Hospital	0
Inverclyde Royal Hospital	6

6. The number of claims relating to each of the following conditions, where recorded: mesothelioma; asbestos-related lung cancer; asbestosis; pleural thickening; pleural plaques.

mesotheliom	7
asbestos-related lung cancer	<5
asbestosis	<5
pleural thickening	0
pleural plaques	30

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PART 2 - CLAIMS BEFORE 1 APRIL 2006

Please also provide any information held, in whatever form, on asbestos-related claims made before 1 April 2006 against Greater Glasgow Health Board, Argyll and Clyde Health Board, or any NHS Trust that managed the four sites named above (including South Glasgow University Hospitals NHS Trust and its predecessors, North Glasgow University Hospitals NHS Trust, and Inverclyde Royal NHS Trust).

Answer <5

PART 3 - SITE SEARCH

Separately from the date-based questions above, please search the Central Legal Office and CNORIS claims records for the four site names listed in question 5, and provide the number of asbestos-related claims returned for each, regardless of date.

Answer 0

PART 4 - COURT FINDINGS

Please confirm whether NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde or any predecessor body has ever been found liable by a court, or has settled after proof, in respect of asbestos exposure at any of the four named sites, and if so the year and the court.

Answer 0