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Freedom of Information Act 2000

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to COVID-19 testing.

You asked:
1. Please can you tell me how many coronavirus tests the trust has used on patients between 1st March 2020 and today's date (4th June 2020).
2. Please can you tell me both the number of patients that have been tested, and the number of tests carried out (i.e. if a patient has been tested more than once).
3. In each case, please can you tell me how long it took for the trust to receive the patients' test result. If you do not have data for every patient please can you provide me with the average length of time it has taken to get test results for all patients.

Trust response:
1. 16,778
2. We were not testing more than once at this time
3. 15 hours