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Re: Freedom of Information Request

Please find below the response to your recent Freedom of Information request regarding Never Events within NHS South Sefton CCG.

Request/[Response](#):

I'm a researcher working for ITV current affairs series, Tonight. We are currently in the process of making the programme examining the issue of 'Never Events' that is expected to air March 2nd 2017. I would like to ask you a few questions regarding 'Never Events':

Q, Has your commissioner imposed financial penalty on NHS provider in relation to a 'Never Event'?

[No](#)

Q, If so how much was this penalty in monetary terms?

[Not applicable](#)

Q, How many times has this penalty been issued?

[Not applicable](#)

Q, If it has been issued more than once has it been since April 2012 or in 2015/2016?

[Not applicable](#)