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**Information requested:**

For the last five years please can you provide all costs regarding litigation against the state hospital and its staff.

Please can you also provide details of any outstanding litigation against the state hospital and its staff.

**Response:**

The total cost for all finished litigation is £148,327.90

There are six cases still outstanding, however as these are active cases we need to ensure that we do not prejudice the cases or the organisation's ability to investigate and defend claims, breach confidentiality or disclose personal information with the information we provide.

We have provided a brief summary of each case,

1. A claim relating to an alleged breach of confidentiality.
2. A claim relating to an alleged breach of duty in patient care.
3. A claim relating to an alleged personal injury.
4. A claim relating to an alleged breach of duty in patient care.
5. A claim relating to an alleged personal injury.
6. A claim relating to an alleged negligence in our duty of care.

**Advice and Guidance**

We have provided the costs for all completed cases, as we only know all the costs relating to litigation once a case is finished.