Appendix

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Appendix. Flowchart summarising inclusion and exclusion of patients from our study

18,652 individual patients identified in registry

Exclusions:
- Institutions with no data during study period (n = 1,991)
- Missing injury postcode (n = 554)

16,165 patients from institutions with complete data for 2010–2014 and known postcode

Exclusions:
- Age < 15 years (n = 12)
- ISS ≤ 15 (n = 4,672)

Analysed: 11,423 cases

ISS = Injury Severity Score.