

## **HEALTHCARE INDUSTRY METRICS – UPDATE JUNE 2005**

### **Introduction**

The HITF report 'Better health through Partnership' included an Annex on 'Healthcare Industry Metrics'. The aim of these metrics is to help Government and Industry measure the progress of the healthcare sector.

DTI has agreed to take responsibility for updating these metrics on an annual basis. Two revised tables are attached for information. These include 2003 figures, as well as some slightly revised figures for earlier years to take account of the most recent data from the Office of National Statistics.

DTI will continue to update the other tables and will finalise these by November 2005. Similar updates will take place annually.

DTI and DH are discussing the possibility of further metrics related to NHS Innovation.

DTI would be pleased to provide further information about how the metrics are compiled.

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**Appendix 1 – Sales of Medical Devices\***

	2000 (£m)	2001 (£m)	2002 (£m)	2003 (£m)
In Vitro Diagnostics and dental materials (ex category 24.66)**	781	756	674	851
In vivo diagnostics, dental cement, gels, dressings, bandages, sutures, etc (ex category 24.42/2)***	772	490	590	642
Invalid Carriages (ex category 35.43)	181	173	182	180
Medical and Surgical Equipment (ex category 33.1)	2411	2777	3006	3019
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4145</b>	<b>4196</b>	<b>4452</b>	<b>4692</b>

\*Total turnover, excluding VAT, of UK manufacturers

\*\*27.34% of total sales in this category

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Source: ONS, Annual Business Inquiry

### Appendix 2 Exports\*

	2000 (£m)	2001 (£m)	2002 (£m)	2003 (£m)
In Vitro Diagnostics and dental materials (ex category 24.66)	448	501	648	741
In vivo diagnostics, dental cement, gels, dressings, bandages, sutures, etc (ex category 24.42/2)	411	521	502	562
Invalid Carriages (ex category 35.43)	40	36	38	32
Medical and Surgical Equipment (ex category 33.1)	1531	1683**	1870**	2172
TOTAL	2430	2741	3058	3507

\*Value of products exported from the UK

\*\*Estimated that intra-EC exports increased at same rate as extra-EC exports as exact figures for intra-EC exports not available

Source, ONS PRODCOM