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Date: 24<sup>th</sup> July 2023

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Dear

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your email dated 12<sup>th</sup> July 2023 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding hospital upgrades

As of 1<sup>st</sup> November 2014 University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust (UHM) manages two hospital sites – Royal Stoke University Hospital, and County Hospital (Stafford). Therefore the response below is for the two sites combined from that date where appropriate.

**Q1 Could I please make a Freedom of Information request for details of hospital upgrade schemes which DHSC announced funding for in 2019:**  
<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/pm-announces-extra-18-billion-for-nhs-frontline-services>

**Could you please fill in the details requested for your scheme in the spread sheet attached? Your Trust or ICS will be among the list of providers, or has taken over a Trust or CCGs named.**

**Details requested are:**

- **How much of the allocated funding has been received for the scheme to date? (column E)**
- **What stage is the project currently at? (column F)**
- **What is the estimated completion date? (column G)**

**A1 Refer to the attached spread sheet that you supplied**

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This letter confirms the completion of this request. A log of this request and a copy of this letter will be held by the Trust.

If you have any queries related to the response provided please in the first instance contact my office.

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The Information Commissioner may be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF or via [www.ico.org.uk](http://www.ico.org.uk).

If following review of the responses I can be of any further assistance please contact my secretary on 01782 671612.

Yours,



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