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Dear

I am writing in response to your email dated 22nd October 2018 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding services and payment by results.

As of 1<sup>st</sup> November 2014 University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust (UHNM) 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 I am writing to you today to formally request the following information from your organisation.

## 2017/18

- 1. In 2017/18 which services have moved from PbR (Payment by Results Tariff) to variant contracts and what type of contract
  - a. Aligned incentive
  - b. Shared risk
  - c. Capitated fee
  - d. Block type
  - e. Other (please describe)
- A1 None of the above.
- Q2 What is the total value of variant contracts as a proportion of total?
- A2 Not applicable
- Q3 What is the proportion of services in value that have moved to non PbR contract in 2017/18?
- A3 Not applicable
- Q4 2018/19
- 4. In 2018/19 which services are being considered for new non PbR contracts and what type of contract
  - a. Aligned incentive







- b. Shared risk
- c. Capitated fee
- d. Block type
- e. Other (please describe)
- A4 None of the above
- Q5 What is the total value of variant contracts as a proportion of total?
- A5 Not applicable
- Q6 What is the proportion of services in value that have moved to non PbR contract in 2018/19?
- A6 Not applicable

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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.

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If following review of the responses I can be of any further assistance please contact my secretary on 01782 676474.

Yours,

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