



**University Hospitals
of North Midlands**
NHS Trust

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Date: 14th September 2018

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Dear

I am writing in response to your email dated 14th September 2018 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding IT spend.

As of 1st 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 would like to request information under the Freedom of Information Act.

The information that I require relates to the IT spend for FY 2016-17, FY 2017-18 and projected spend for FY 2018-19.

Please provide the information in the attached form (excel spreadsheet) which allows for easy entry of responses.

A1 Please refer to the attached spread sheet that you supplied. Please note that as per your previous identical request (reference 436-17) that we cannot split hardware and software so both are included.

*The Capital cannot be split so have provided the total

*Costs for Telecoms are included in the Pay (C) and Non Pay (B)

*Please note that any individuals identified do not give consent for their personal data to be processed for the purposes of direct marketing.

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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.

Should you have a complaint about the response or the handling of your request, please also contact my office to request a review of this. If having exhausted the Trust's FOIA complaints process you are still not satisfied, you are entitled to approach the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) and request an assessment of the manner in which the Trust has managed your request.

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.

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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