

Ref: FOIA Reference 2024/25-611

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Date: 3rd February 2025

Email foi@uhnm.nhs.uk

Dear Sir/Madam

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your email dated 2nd December 2024 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding accommodation

Q1 Please could I submit some follow ups?- linked to FOI ref 580-2425

Have you ever sold or rented accommodation on the private market?

- A1 No accommodation has been sold/rented on the private market.
- Q2 If so, why?
- A2 Not applicable.
- Q3 Why are there 51 people on the waiting list?
- A3 The majority of the accommodation is being utilised for long term NHS workers. Therefore, this creates a waiting list, which is reviewed quarterly to check if the application is still valid.

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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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Yours,

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