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Dear Sir/Madam

Date: 25th June 2018

Ref: FOIA Reference 2018/19-144

I am writing in response to your email dated 11th June 2018 (received into our office 12th June) requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding workload and annual caseload statistics.

On 13th June 2018 we contacted you via email as we required clarification on Q2.

On the same day you replied via email with the following: "Thanks for your kind reply. Regarding your questions:

 Number of Fracture Neck of Femur spells: I meant Number of Patients admitted with primary diagnosis of fracture neck of femur per year (patients admitted with following fracture neck of Femur)
Number of Joint Replacement spells: I meant All Joint replacements.

I hope this clarifies any ambiguity. Thanks for your kind help and prompt response".

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 University Hospital of North Midlands NHS Trust's Workload and annual caseload statistics: University Hospital of North Midlands NHS Trust's Workload and annual caseload statistics:

	2017 / 2018
Trust Turnover (£M)	
Total inpatients Spells	
Total First (New) Outpatients	
Total A&E patients	

A1 I can confirm that the Trust holds information regarding University Hospital of North Midlands NHS Trust's Workload and annual caseload statistics, but feel this information is exempt under section 21: *information reasonably accessible by other means*. This is because the information is available via the Trust's public website at the following link:



 $\underline{\text{http://www.uhnm.nhs.uk/aboutus/Documents/AnnualReportsAndAccounts/180604\%202017-18\%20Annual\%20Report\%20FINAL\%20APPROVED.pdf}$

However in order to assist you please see below:

	2017 / 2018
Trust Turnover (£M)	Available section 10.4 of annual report 2017/18
Total inpatients Spells	Available section 10.1 of annual report 2017/18
Total First (New) Outpatients	Available section 10.1 of annual report 2017/18
Total A&E patients	Available section 10.1 of annual report 2017/18

Q2 Department of Trauma and Orthopaedics spells:

	First (New) Outpatients	Day Cases	Elective cases	Non-Elective cases	Neck of Femur Fracture	Joint replacements
2017 / 2018						

A2 Please refer to the tables below: Department of Trauma and Orthopaedics Outpatients:

	First (New) Outpatients
2017 / 2018	29,460

Department of Trauma and Orthopaedics spells:

	Day Cases	Elective cases	Non-Elective cases	Neck of Femur Fracture (Only Primary Diagnosis of S720)	All Joint replacements (in any coding position)
2017 / 2018	3,030	2,343	3,587	551 (spells)	1,470 (spells)



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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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