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Email foi@uhn.nhs.uk

Dear Sir/Madam

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your email dated 10th June 2024 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding radiotherapy

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 Radiotherapy Treatment Planning System
Does your Trust use Radiotherapy Treatment Planning System? If so, what is the cost of this service per annum? Ideally, for the last 3 financial years

A1 £200-250k. Price increases linked to inflation

Q2 What Radiotherapy Treatment Planning System do you utilise?

A2 Eclipse (v18.0)

Q3 Artificial Intelligence in Radiotherapy Does your Trust use any artificial intelligence software in Radiotherapy? If so, what is the cost of this service per annum?

A3 £40-50k

Q4 What Radiotherapy Artificial Intelligence Software do you utilise?

A4 MVision

Q5 Contact Please provide names and contact details for the Trust's Lead for Radiotherapy Treatment Planning System and the Radiotherapy Artificial Intelligence Lead

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Yours,



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