Ref: FOIA Reference 2019/20-266

Date: 16th August 2019

Email foi@uhnm.nhs.uk

Dear

I am writing in response to your email dated 7th August 2019 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding Operating Theatres.

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   Number of hospitals in your Trust with at least one Operating Theatre (facility within a hospital where surgical operations are carried out):
   a.   In 2015
   b.   In 2018

A1   Please see below:
   a.   In 2015 = 2
   b.   In 2018 = 2

Q2   Total number of operating theatres in your Trust
   a.   In 2015
   b.   In 2018

A2   Please see below:
   a.   In 2015 = 32
   b.   In 2018 = 35

Q3   Total number of Hybrid operating theatres (surgical theatre that equipped with advanced medical imaging devices, CT, MRI, Fluoroscopy, etc.) in your Trust
   a.   In 2015
   b.   In 2018

A3   Please see below: (Royal Stoke within Interventional Theatre. There are none at County.)
   a.   In 2015 = 2
   b.   In 2018 = 2

Q4   Total number of Hybrid operating theatres (surgical theatre that equipped with advanced medical imaging devices, CT, MRI, Fluoroscopy, etc.) in your Trust
   a.   In 2015
   b.   In 2018

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A4   Please see below: (please note, Royal Stoke within Interventional Theatre, this does not include the Fluoroscopy room as this is not classed as an operating theatre. There are none at County)

         a.   In 2015 = 2
         b.   In 2018 = 2

Q5   How many Operating Theatres with service integrated systems are currently under construction?
         a.   In 2015
         b.   In 2018

A5   None for either year.

Q6   How many hospitals in your Trust are closing down?
         a.   In 2015
         b.   In 2018

A6   None for either year.

Q7   How many operating theatres in your Trust have Video Lifecycle Management?
         a.   In 2015
         b.   In 2018

A7   None for either year.

Q8   Average Lifespan (years) of Video Lifecycle Management?
         a.   In 2015
         b.   In 2018

A8   Not applicable.

Q9   Average Number of connected recording systems in your operating theatres:
         a.   In 2015
         b.   In 2018

A9   None for either year.

Q10   Number of operating theatres in your Trust with UCES only
         a.   In 2015
         b.   In 2018

A10   None for either year.

Q11   Number of operating theatres in your Trust with UCES and EasySuite 4K
         a.   In 2015
         b.   In 2018

A11   None for either year.

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Q12   Number of operating theatres in your Trust with UCES and EasySuite 4K and MedPresence
        a.   In 2015
        b.   In 2018

A12   None for either year.

Q13   Number of operating theatres in your Trust with EasySuite 4K only
        a.   In 2015
        b.   In 2018

A13   None for either year.

Q14   Number of operating theatres in your Trust with UCES and MedPresence
        a.   In 2015
        b.   In 2018

A14   None for either year.

Q15   Number of operating theatres in your Trust with MedPresence Standalone
        a.   In 2015
        b.   In 2018

A15   None for either year.

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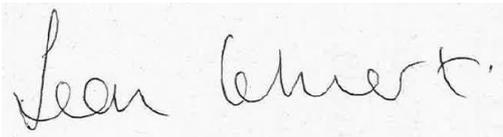POSITIVE ABOUT
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If following review of the responses I can be of any further assistance please contact my secretary on 01782 676474.

Yours,

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