



Ref: FOIA Reference 2024/25-635

Date: 3rd January 2025

Email foi@uhnm.nhs.uk

Dear Sir/madam

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your email dated 11th December 2024 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding community diagnostic centres

Q1 I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information from your Trust. The questions relate to elective surgery, surgical hubs and community diagnostic centres. Please could you provide me with an answer to the following:

Please can you list the sites/locations that your Trust conducts elective surgery?

A1 Please see below:
Royal Stoke University Hospital, Stoke-on-Trent
County Hospital, Stafford

Q2 We are keen to understand whether your Trust are using any elective hubs – defined as exclusively performing planned surgery with ring fenced facilities and staff. Does your Trust use such a facility? If so, please list out the locations?

A2 Yes we use the Staffordshire Treatment Suite, County Hospital

Q3 Are any of the elective hubs that you use managed by a different Trust?

A3 No

Q4 Please could you list any Community Diagnostic Centres that your Trust makes use of that are located away from your acute hospital sites?

A4 Cannock Community Diagnostic Centre and CDC Hanley, Stoke-on-Trent CDC

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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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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.

Yours,



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