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Dear

I am writing in response to your email dated 6th February 2019 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding smoking cessation.

As of 1st November 2014 University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust (UHM) 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 How many children have been given smoking cessation treatments by your Trust over the last three years?

A1 Please see below: Please note that the timeframes referenced below cover the calendar year (Jan-Dec).

	2016	2017	2018
Those aged under 12	0	0	0
Aged 12	0	0	0
Aged 13	0	0	0
Aged 14	1	0	0
Aged 15	0	0	0
Aged 16	1	1	0
Aged 17	0	4	1
Aged 18	5	1	3

Q2 Please provide a breakdown of the number of different types of cessation aids prescribed to children over the last three years:

A2 Please see below:

	2016	2017	2018
Nicotine replacement therapy	7	6	4
Varenicline (Champix)	0	0	0
Bupropion (Zyban)	0	0	0
E-cigarettes	0	0	0
Other (please specify)	0	0	0

Q3 Information on each type – except for e-cigarettes which are not supplied by pharmacy (smoking cessation team supply)?

A3 See answer 2

*Please note that any individuals identified do not give consent for their personal data to be processed for the purposes of direct marketing.

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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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