



Ref: FOIA Reference 2022/23-330

Date: 22nd September 2022

Email foi@uhnm.nhs.uk

Dear

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your email dated 16th September 2022 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding Prosthetic Services.

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 I would be most grateful if you would provide me, under the Freedom of Information Act, details in respect to your Prosthetic product and service provisions, the following information:

Are your services provided in-house, or contracted to a third party?

A1 Prosthetic services are provided by MPFT. Please redirect to foi@mpft.nhs.uk

Q2 If contracted to a third party,

- **Who provides these products/services to you?**
- **Start and end date of contracts, with any possible extension periods available?**
- **Contract Title and reference?**
- **Annual/contract value?**
- **Who is the procurement officer responsible for this contract?**
- **Who is the senior officer (outside of procurement) responsible for this contract?**

A2 Not applicable to UHNM

*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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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.

Should you have a complaint about the response or the handling of your request, please also contact my office to request a review of this. If having exhausted the Trust's FOIA complaints process you are still not satisfied, you are entitled to approach the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) and request an assessment of the manner in which the Trust has managed your request.

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.

If following review of the responses I can be of any further assistance please contact my secretary on 01782 671612.

Yours,



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