

I can confirm that the Trust holds the information that you have requested. However, the cost of your request exceeds the limits for time and cost set out in 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

We estimate that to retrieve and extract the data that falls in the scope of your request would take a minimum of 21 Hours.

Q1 is estimated to take 3 hours to retrieve and extract the required data

Q2 & Q3 is estimated to take 18 Hours combined to retrieve and extract the data.

You may wish to refine your request to bring it within the time and cost limit, for example, limiting the timeframe of the request.

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Please note that the Trust has a formal internal review and complaints process which is managed by the Information Governance Manager/Data Protection Officer. Should you have any concerns with our response, you can make a formal request for an internal review. Requests *for internal review* should be submitted within three months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter, and should be addressed to: dataprotectionofficer@ldh.nhs.uk. This option is available to you for up to three calendar months from the date your response was issued.

If you are not satisfied with the Trust review under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 you may apply directly to the Information Commissioners Officer (ICO) for a review of your appeal decision. The ICO can be contacted at: ICO, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF www.ico.org.uk

Yours sincerely,

FOI Officer

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