



## FOI 2314

Date 28/07/2023

Dear Requester,

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request. Please note, this is a cross-site response for Bedford site and Luton site.

You asked:

**1.a) The total payment to the PFI company (Unitary Charge) for the most recent financial year, for 2022-23.**

£2,133,730

**1.b) The £ increase in Unitary Charge payments which can be attributed to inflation, when compared to the previous financial year (2021-22).**

£215,650

**2.a) The projected Unitary Charge for the current financial year, 2023-24**

£2,445,140

**2.b) The projected £ increase in Unitary Charge payments which can be attributed to inflation, when compared to the previous financial year (2022-23) .**

£311,410

**3.The amount of financial support (if any) provided by NHS England or the Department of Health and Social care specifically to assist with meeting the additional cost of inflation rises.**

N/A

**4. A summary of information held on specific or local factors (other than inflation) which may have had a significant impact on PFI costs in the previous two years e.g. Major lifecycle maintenance, availability issues, disputes, service contract re-basing or other major contract milestones.**

N/A

**Where a Trust holds several PFI contracts, could this information be provided for each contract separately.**

Only one contract held



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Yours sincerely,

*FOI Officer*

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