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Address / Email:

Dear

Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Request

I am writing under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request information regarding the delivery of Visual Fields services within your organisation.

This request forms part of a service benchmarking exercise to better understand variation in clinical service models, workforce allocation and diagnostic activity across NHS providers. There are no plans at this stage for the use of this information other than for my personal interest.

To support this request, I have attached a structured questionnaire designed to capture the relevant information in a clear and consistent format. The questionnaire asks for information relating to:
• The number of sites providing ophthalmology and Visual Fields services
• Staffing arrangements, including skill mix and sessional allocation
• Activity levels, including the number of tests undertaken per session or day
• Equipment used and standard testing protocols followed
• Appointment types and the use of virtual diagnostic clinics
• Session structures, operating hours and any variations between sites

Response

Please see attached completed questionnaire

For a copy of the questionnaire please contact dgft,foi@nhs.net

If you are dissatisfied with our response, you have the right to appeal in line with guidance from the Information Commissioner. In the first instance you may contact the Information Governance Manager of the Trust.

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Should you disagree with the contents of our response to your appeal, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioners Office at.

Information Commissioners Office
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If you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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