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Dear

I am responding to your request for information received 22nd June 2022. This has been treated as a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I am now enclosing a response which is attached to the end of this letter. Please do not hesitate to contact me on the contact details above if you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely,

Shuchi Joshi
Senior Information Governance Coordinator – Information Rights

If you are dissatisfied with the Trust's response to your FOIA request then you should contact us and we will arrange for an internal review of this decision.

If you remain dissatisfied with the decision following our response to your complaint, you may write to the Information Commissioner for a decision under Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

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Request:



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Chief Executive: Paul Calaminus
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Question 1: What capital investment has been made within the past 3 years to adapt the Trusts mental health wards to suitably accommodate bariatric patients?

Please can you provide the amount of spend and a brief summary of works completed.

Answer: Section 1(1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 states:

*Any person making a request for information to a public authority is entitled—
(a) to be informed in writing by the public authority whether it holds information of the description specified in the request, and
(b) if that is the case, to have that information communicated to them.*

The Trust has not made any specific infrastructure alterations in direct relation to bariatric patients, therefore we cannot provide you with an answer to the amount spent and brief summary of works completed.