

Information Governance

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I am responding to your request for information received 13 June 2023. 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,



Keshia Harvey
Information Governance Manager

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:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliff House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

Tel: 0303 123 1113
Web: www.ico.org.uk

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Request:

Question 1: For each year (2020 – 2022), please confirm how many cyberattacks your Trust has suffered?

Answer: The Trust has experienced zero successful cyber-attacks.

Question 2: For each year (2020 – 2022), please confirm how many cyberattacks have resulted in the halting of or delay in delivery of care or services to patients?

Answer: The Trust has experienced zero successful cyber-attacks.

Question 3: For each year (2020-2022), please confirm The GBP (£) value of budget allocated to cybersecurity.

Answer: The Trust has reviewed question 3 of your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000.

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The information requested, if released into the public domain, could pose a security weakness. For this reason an exemption has been applied.

Question 4: For each year (2020-2022), What percentage of the Trust's entire budget for the financial year was spent on cybersecurity?

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Question 5: For each year (2020-2022), How many times in the last 12 months have you audited your third-party suppliers' cybersecurity measures?

Answer: Suppliers get audited through our Vendor Security Questionnaire based on a rolling year period.



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