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I am responding to your request for information received 8 July 2025. 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,

Information Rights Coordinator

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
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

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

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Request: Please can I request the below information on the utilisation of Insourcing for the following period 01/04/2025-30/06/2025

Question 1: Total spend during the period for Insourcing for the below specialties:

- Neurology
- Neurophysiology
- Dermatology
- Gastroenterology
- Endoscopy
- Cardiology
- Respiratory
- Orthodontics / Dental
- OMFS
- ENT
- Rheumatology
- Gynaecology
- Ophthalmology
- Surgery- including all subspecialties

Please break the spend down by insourcing company

Answer: The Trust has reviewed question 1 of your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000.

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.*

East London NHS Foundation Trust does not record the information requested as the Trust does not utilise insourcing services or providers. The Trust is therefore unable to provide a response.

Question 2: Please confirm if there was a budget for insourcing for the specialties outlined during the same period

Answer: Not applicable. The Trust does not use insourcing providers.

Question 3: What was the service type relating to the specialties outlined, for example, outpatient, diagnostic or theatres. Was it a fully managed service or Team provision

Answer: Not applicable. The Trust does not use insourcing providers.

Question 4: Please can you confirm the Frameworks utilised for each specialty

Answer: Not applicable. The Trust does not use insourcing providers.

Question 5: Please confirm any direct awards or mini competitions which are being utilised for each specialty

Answer: Not applicable. The Trust does not use insourcing providers.

Question 6: Total procedures completed by insourcing companies for the specialties outlined during the same period

Answer: Not applicable. The Trust does not use insourcing providers.



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