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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000 - Request for Information Reference: Specialist obesity or weight management Clinic for Adults and Children

I am writing in response to your request for information under the FOI 2000.

I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that we do hold some of the information you have requested. A response to each part of your request is provided below.

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FOI Request / Question	Question Response	Is there an exemption?	Exemption	Exemption Details
Does the trust have a specialist obesity or weight management Clinic for a) adults? b) Children		Yes	Section 21 Exemption - Refer Applicant to the Publication Scheme / Information Reasonably Accessible Elsewhere	Section 21 exempts information that is reasonably accessible to you by other means. The information you require is available here: https://www.sfh-tr.nhs.uk/site/search?k=weight&mediaid=19157
2. Number of patients treated in the last financial year a) Adult? b) Children?	N/A			
3. What treatment pathways for obesity or weight management do the Trust provide?	N/A			
4. The average number of visit per year to the obesity or weight management clinic	N/A			
5. Please provide the following information for the Lead Clinician for Obesity services. • Name • Job title • Email	N/A			
6. Does the Trust use a specialist software platform for obesity or weight management clinics? • The	N/A			

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name of the supplier • The length of contract • Total contract value			
7. Please provide Total financial costs to the trust for obesity and weight management services provided for the last Financial year?	N/A		
8. If the Trust does not have an obesity or specialist weight management clinic, is there a plan to develop one in the next 3 years. This would include the acquisition of a specialist software platform to help management of patient.	It is an area that is being explored within Childrens services.		

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I trust this information answers your request. Should you have any further enquiries or queries about this response please do not hesitate to contact me. However, if you are unhappy with the way in which your request has been handled, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to: Sally Brook Shanahan, Director of Corporate Affairs, King's Mill Hospital, Mansfield Road, Sutton in Ashfield, Nottinghamshire, NG17 4JL or email sally.brookshanahan@nhs.net.

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of the internal review, you can apply to the Information Commissioner's Office, who will consider whether we have complied with our obligations under the Act and can require us to remedy any problems. Generally, the Information Commissioner's Office cannot decide unless you have exhausted the internal review procedure. You can find out more about how to do this, and about the Act in general, on the Information Commissioner's Office website at: https://ico.org.uk/your-data-matters/official-information/.

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Yours faithfully

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