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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000 - Request for Information Reference: FDP roll out update

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 the information you have requested. A response to each part of your request is provided below. Please accept our sincere apologies for the delay.

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FOI Request / Question	Question Response	Is there an exemption?	Exemption	Exemption Details
1. Is the Trust already using the FDP? • If the Trust isn't already using the FDP can you please provide me with a specific rollout date?	Yes the organisation is using the Federated Data Platform (FDP). Rollout of various products is incremental, so there is no single official roll-out date.			
2. It has been widely reported that there have been hidden and unbudgeted for costs to implementing the FDP at local and national levels. What is the projected and locally budgeted for cost of the rollout and implementation of the FDP that hasn't already been provided for by NHSE national funding from the initial FDP contract? This might include, but is not limited to, extra training costs, staff costs, consultancy workers, hardware, software, licenses, or other IT related costs.	No additional costs budgeted for the involvement in the programme The Trust has utilised existing in-house capabilities to embed into business as usual processes.			
3. What new jobs or roles have been created within the Trust to enable the implementation, development and running of the FDP? What other internally allocated resources in relation to the rollout and implementation of the FDP are there?	No additional job roles have been created to enable the implementation of FDP in the Trust. The trust is utilising the FDP to replace time consuming manual tasks and enable additional functionality for existing teams. Rollout of FDP products and capabilities are utilising existing capacity to implement.			

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4. What FDP instances/apps/products are currently in use and what are planning to be rollout out?	The Trust is utilising the RTT Validation, Inpatients CSS, Cancer 360 and HDS tools provided by the programme.			
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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.

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Yours faithfully

Information Governance Team

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