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Dear

I am writing in response to your email dated 6<sup>th</sup> August 2019 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding diabetes.

As of 1<sup>st</sup> November 2014 University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust (UHNM) manages two hospital sites – Royal Stoke University Hospital, and County Hospital (Stafford). Therefore the response below is for the two sites combined from that date where appropriate.

**Q1 How many specialist adult diabetes multi-disciplinary teams operate within the Trust?**

A1 Please see below:

Royal Stoke	Cystic Fibrosis, Joint Renal, Pre-conception, Antenatal, Peri-operative bariatric surgery, Carbohydrate counting, Young adult, Pump, Diabetic foot clinic
County Hospital	Peri-operative bariatric surgery, Young adult diabetes, Transition Diabetes

**Q2 How many people are currently under the care of each specialist adult diabetes multi-disciplinary team within the Trust?**

A2 Please see below:

Royal Stoke	Cystic Fibrosis (50), Joint Renal (140) Pre-conception, Antenatal (450), Peri-operative bariatric surgery (50), Carbohydrate counting (30), Young adult (50), Pump (160), Diabetic foot clinic (not known as under vascular team)
County Hospital	Peri-operative bariatric surgery joint clinics (100), Young adult diabetes (30 patients), General Diabetes mainly done in the community.

**Q3 How many whole time equivalent mental health professionals are employed as part of each specialist adult diabetes multi-disciplinary team, and which part of the service are they aligned to?**

If there are no mental health professionals employed within the service, but there is a collaboration with Improving Access to Psychological Therapies-Long Term Conditions (IAPT-LTC), please give details of this instead.

A3 Not applicable

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This letter confirms the completion of this request. A log of this request and a copy of this letter will be held by the Trust.

If you have any queries related to the response provided please in the first instance contact my office.

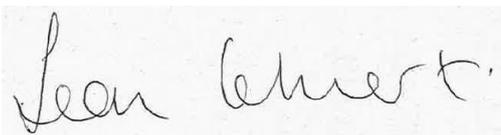
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If following review of the responses I can be of any further assistance please contact my secretary on 01782 676474.

Yours,



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**Information Governance Manager**