



**University Hospitals  
of North Midlands**  
NHS Trust

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Dear

I am writing in response to your email dated 15<sup>th</sup> October 2018 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding an additional question to FOI reference 388-1819 (Cardiac database).

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 Thank you so much for your response. Could I trouble you for the information there on your current provider and solution please?**

**As a reminder:**

- 1. What is the provider name and system name of your current Cardiac database?**
- 2. Please could you confirm how much was paid per year for the:**
  - Hardware?**
  - Licence?**
  - Service/Support?**
  - Other?**
- 3. What was the total contract value?**
- 4. The start and end date for the Trusts current contract?**

**Exact figures are preferable, however if not available, then estimated figures would be sufficient.**

**A1 The Trust current provider/solution is Mediconnect, there is no cost associated.**



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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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Deputy Head of Quality, Safety & Compliance