

Ref: FOIA Reference 2023/24-655

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Dear

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your email dated 4th January 2024 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) and regarding lone working.

On 5th January 2024 we contacted you via email as required a time frame for question 4

On the same day you replied via email with the following;

'With regards to your request for clarification on Q4, I refer to the annual contract value of any and all Lone Worker solution contracts that the Trust has in place currently. In the event, the previous contract term has expired and you now have a rolling monthly contract, please provide details of the monthly contract value.'

As of 1st 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 Lone Worker devices within its Lone Worker solution contract(s) does the Trust have in place?
- A1 Lone worker devices are not used.
- Q2 Please specify contract start and end dates and contract term extension options
- A2 Lone worker devices are not used.
- Q3 Who is the current provider of Lone Worker solutions to the Trust?
- A3 Lone worker devices are not used.
- Q4 What is the annual contract value?







- A4 Lone worker devices are not used.
- Q5 How was the contract procured, ie via framework direct award or through a tendering process?
- A5 Lone worker devices are not used.

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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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The Information Commissioner may be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF or via <u>www.ico.org.uk</u>.

Yours,







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