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Dear Mr Hetfield

RE: FREEDOM OF INFORMATION

Please find below our response to your request for information in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act

The Deputy Radiology Services Manager for Wirral University Teaching Hospital has provided the information required for this response.

I would be most grateful if you would provide me, under the Freedom of Information Act, details in respect to the following.

The details we require are:

Q1. Does the Trust make use of outsourced tele-radiology reporting services for either overnight on-call (emergency) or routine radiology reporting (or both)?

Yes

Q2. If you do make use of tele-radiology reporting, please provide the names of the providers of each service (on-call and elective separately please)?

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Q3. If you do make use of tele-radiology reporting services, please provide the annual volumes for both 2019 and for 2020 sent to each provider, broken into the following:

Overnight on-call

2019: 5,231

2020: 4,903

Elective Reporting

2019: (MRI, CT) 2,860 (CT-2,574; MRI 286)
2020: (MRI, CT) 2,525 (CT-2,273; MRI 252)

Plain Film Reporting

2019: 0
2020: 0

Q4. Start date, duration and end date of any contracts with tele-radiology providers?

30/11/2020 - 30/11/2021

Q5. Was the contract procured via a framework (direct award, which framework?), mini-tender, or ITT procurement process?

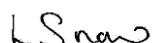
Framework

Q6. Who is the senior officer (outside of procurement) responsible for this contract?

Dr A Haworth

We hope this information fully answers your request but if anything further is required or you are dissatisfied with the management of your request, please contact the Access to Information Office.

Yours sincerely



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