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Our Ref: FOI/004268

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Date: 8<sup>th</sup> February 2018

Gillian Nuttall  
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Dear Ms Nuttall

**REQUEST FOR INFORMATION – FOI/004268**

I am contacting you with regard to your recent request for information received in this department on 18<sup>th</sup> December 2017. I am writing to confirm that the Trust has now completed its search for this information.

*Please can you provide the following information:*

1. *The name of your Head of Dermatology*

The Lead Nurse for Dermatology is Julie Bowman.

2. *Dermatology Tel No.*

The telephone number for Dermatology is: 01228 814156

3. *Dermatology Email*

The email address for Dermatology is: [dermatology@ncuh.nhs.uk](mailto:dermatology@ncuh.nhs.uk)

*In addition if you have a melanoma unit please provide the following detail:*

4. *Do you have a melanoma unit? Y/N*

The Trust does have a melanoma unit which is part of the Dermatology department.

5. *If yes, the name of your Head of Melanoma*

The Trust does not have a post for the Head of Melanoma.

6. *Melanoma Tel No*

The telephone number for the melanoma unit is: 01228 814153

7. *Melanoma Email*

The melanoma unit does not have a specific email address.

8. *Melanoma Nurse*

The melanoma nurses for the Trust are Kath Gilbanks and Sheila Macmillan.

9. *Clinical Trials*

The Trust does not have clinical trials.

10. *Do you have a centre of excellence?*

The Trust does not have a centre of excellence.

11. *Do you offer Sentinel Node Biopsy?*

The Trust does not offer Sentinel Node Biopsy. Patients are referred to Newcastle.

12. *Is CT available on site?*

CT is available on site.

If you are unhappy with the way the Trust has handled your request, you may ask for an internal review by contacting:

Joint Company Secretary  
Cumberland Infirmary  
Newtown Road  
Carlisle  
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If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
Cheshire SK9 5AF  
<http://www.ico.org.uk/>

If you wish to discuss any of the above, please contact me at the above address.

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Robin Andrews', with a stylized flourish at the end.

**Robin Andrews**  
**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE**