



# Department of Health & Social Care

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Dear Mr Brown,

## **Freedom of Information Request Reference FOI-1204385**

Thank you for your request dated 10 February, in which you asked the Department of Health and Social Care (DHSC):

*"I refer to the document, "A National Framework for NHS Continuing Healthcare and NHS-Funded Nursing Care in England Response to Consultation" (2007).*

*Please provide copies of the full written responses, numbered 1 - 25, as listed on p 19 "Annex 2: Written responses."*

*If this request is unclear, I would be grateful if you could contact me; you are required to advise and assist requesters. If any of this information is already in the public domain, please can you direct me to it, with page references and URLs if necessary.*

*I would be grateful if you could confirm in writing that you have received this request.  
Thank you."*

Your request has been handled under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA).

I can confirm that the Department holds information relevant to your request.

However, it is being withheld under Section 40(2) of the FOIA, which provides for the protection of personal information. Section 40 prohibits a public body from disclosing personally identifiable information, as doing so would contravene data protection principles.

If you are not satisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to appeal by asking for an internal review. This should be submitted within two months of the date of this letter and sent to [FreedomOfInformation@dhsc.gov.uk](mailto:FreedomOfInformation@dhsc.gov.uk), or to the address at the top of this letter.

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

If you are not content with the outcome of your internal review, you may complain directly to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO). Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have already appealed our original response and received our internal review decision. You should raise your concerns with the ICO within three months of your last meaningful contact with us.

The ICO can be contacted at:

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Yours sincerely,

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