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Dear

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your email dated 6th December 2021 (sent to our CEO) requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding NHS recruitment.

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 I work in the office of **Mathematical MP** and was wondering if you were able to help provide me with some statistics.

Would you be able to send me some figures on local NHS recruitment? For instance, how many nurses have been recruited in Stoke-on-Trent per year? Just some figures on the picture of local recruitment would be really helpful.

A1 This Trust only holds recruitment data specific to UHNM and not NHS recruitment for the local area There is a wide range of NHS data and statistics available at: <u>https://digital.nhs.uk/data-and-information/publications/statistical/nhs-workforce-statistics/january-2021#</u>

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

If following review of the responses I can be of any further assistance please contact my secretary on 01782 671612.

Yours,

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