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Date: 21st February 2025

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 24th January 2025, I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that we do hold the information you have requested. A response to each part of your request is provided below.

In your request you asked:

Freedom of Information Request: Updates on AI Developments in AMR and Other Health Systems

I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Specifically, I am seeking details regarding the development and progress of artificial intelligence (AI) applications in addressing Antimicrobial Resistance (AMR) and other health-related advancements within your organisation or across systems under your remit.

Please provide information on the following:

1. Current AI Research and Initiatives:

- Any ongoing or completed projects related to AI in AMR.

None.

- Details of AI-based tools, models, or technologies currently being developed or deployed in health systems, particularly with respect to AMR management.

N/A.

2. Collaborations and Partnerships:

- Information about collaborations with universities, private sector organisations, or other bodies on AI projects in healthcare, specifically in AMR.

N/A.

3. Funding and Resources:

- **Details on funding allocated for AI in AMR and other health-related AI developments (including any relevant government funding programmes, grants, or research initiatives).**

N/A.

4. Progress Reports and Outcomes:

- **Any available progress reports or evaluations on AI projects addressing AMR.**

N/A.

- **Insights into the effectiveness or challenges encountered in implementing AI solutions in this area.**

N/A.

5. Plans for Future Developments:

- **Any upcoming plans or projects related to AI in AMR or healthcare innovations that you can share.**

N/A.

If you are not entirely satisfied with this response, please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department via the email address provided. If we do not hear from you within 40 days, we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,



Garry Harris
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