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Date Received: 8th May 2025

Response Due: 6th June 2025

Date: 16th May 2025

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 8th May 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:

- 1. How many PET-CT, CT and MRI scanners does the Trust have? (Not including any rented equipment).**
PET-CT = 0.
CT = 4.
MR = 4.
- 2. If the Trust uses external scanning support for PET-CT, CT or MRI, please provide details below for any contracts in place between 01/04/2024 and 31/03/2025.**

Provider Name	Alliance Medical
Modality	MRI
Number of scanners	1
Staffed or Unstaffed Services	Staffed
Contract Start Date	27-4-19
Contract End Date	31-3-25
Number of scanning days in period or Service regularity (e.g., number of scanning days per week AND number of scanning weeks per month)	7 days a week
Scanner Location(s)	Wrightington

Reason being used (interim CDC, permanent CDC using mobiles, permanent CDC brick/mortar, waiting list management, scanner replacement project, Lung Health Check, other etc.)	Other
Extension options in contract	The above end date includes the end of the extension option

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,



Hazel Hendriksen
Divisional Director of Operations for Specialist Services

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If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you should write to: Information Governance Department, Wroughtington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust, Suite 9, Buckingham Row, Brick Kiln Lane, Wigan, WN1 1XX.

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision at:

The Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
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Helpline number: 0303 123 111