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Date Received: 22nd October 2025

Response Due: 19th November 2025

Date: 17th November 2025

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 22nd October 2025, I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that we do hold part of the information you have requested. A response to each part of your request is provided below.

In your request you asked:

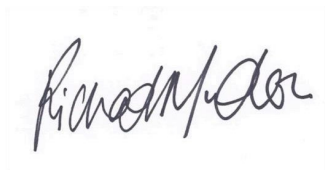
1. **How many patients are currently on the NHS waiting list within your trust by hospital who have been diagnosed with:**
 - **benign prostatic hyperplasia (ICD-10 code N40X - Hyperplasia of prostate)**
 - **Please confirm which date the statistics were gathered.**

Initial diagnosis is predominantly made during an Outpatient clinic attendance, at which point the patient would be added to an Inpatient or Day Case waiting list if appropriate. Diagnostic coding is currently not recorded against Outpatient attendances and is not recorded against an Inpatient or Day Case waiting list. Therefore, the Trust is unable to provide this information.
2. **How many patients have you treated within your trust by hospital in the last 12 months (latest 12 month period you have) with**
 - **benign prostatic hyperplasia (ICD-10 code N40X)**
 - **Please confirm which date range that the data covers.**

Please see the attached.

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,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Richard Mundon', is enclosed within a thin black rectangular border.

Richard Mundon
Deputy Chief Executive

PLEASE NOTE:

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, Wrightington, 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
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