



# Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh Teaching Hospitals

NHS Foundation Trust

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Date Received: 12<sup>th</sup> November 2025

Response Due: 10<sup>th</sup> December 2025

Date: 14<sup>th</sup> November 2025

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 12<sup>th</sup> November 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. Spend on Insourcing from August 2025-end of October 2025, broken down by each specialty and subspecialty, and the insourcing company that was used  
e.g. cardiology £1000- echo cardiogram £1000- company x £1000**
- 2. The budget for each specialty for insourcing**
- 3. Confirm the contract start and end date for each specialty**
- 4. What frameworks were used for each specialty and was there direct awards and if so, who was they awarded to and what specialty**
- 5. What was the service, e.g. theatres, outpatient, or diagnostic**

A search for the information has now been completed within the Trust the information is exempt under Section 21 and Section 22 of the FOIA as it is reasonably accessible to you, and I am pleased to inform you that you can access it via the following link: <https://www.wwl.nhs.uk/what-we-spend-and-how-we-spend-it> under 'Insourcing/Outsourcing providers'. The document linked above is updated on a monthly basis.

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 blue ink, appearing to read 'T. Gardner', on a light-colored rectangular background.

Tabitha Gardner  
Chief Finance Officer

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  
Wycliffe House  
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Helpline number: 0303 123 111