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Ref: FOI/2024/10001

Date Received: 19th July 2024

Response Due: 16th August 2024

Date: 14th August 2024

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 19th July 2024, 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 much money has the Trust spent on EPR (Electronic Patient Record software) over the last 12 months?**
£987,615.
2. **More broadly, how much money has the Trust spent on any type of software in the last 12 months (e.g. EPR, PAS, TIE, etc - please factor in all types of software)?**
£1,437,207.69.
3. **Does the Trust have a TIE (Trust Integration Engine), or a centralised integration platform of any kind? If so, who is the vendor and name of the platform (e.g. Intersystems Ensemble, Orion Health Rhapsody, etc)?**
Lyniate Rhapsody.
4. **How many people are in the Trust's digital integration team (employees responsible for integrating software, e.g. EPR, with other software)?**
1.01 FTE.
5. **More broadly, how many people does the Trust employ who have some kind of a Digital, Data or Technology (DDaT) role?**
198.58 FTE.

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 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
Water Lane
Wilmslow
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Helpline number: 0303 123 111