**NHS and Social Care Partnership Trust** 

## **Information Governance & Records Management Department**

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Dear,

Sent via email

## **Request for Information**

I write further to your request FOI ID 46908 under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 regarding: -

Radiology

Your request is set out below:

1a. For the period **1**<sup>st</sup> **April 2023 to 31**<sup>st</sup> **March 2024**, please state which if any of the following arrangements were used for generating radiology images:

	Y/N
A private contractor managed fixed MRI or CT	
scanners	
A private contractor managed mobile MRI or	
CT scanners	

1b. Please state the amount spent with each of the following contractors for radiology services:

Provider	Company used (Y/N)	Amount spent (£) in year for fixed scanners	Amount spent (£) in year for mobile scanners
Alliance Medical			
Inhealth			
Medneo			
Cobalt			
Other suppliers			

2. For the period **1**<sup>st</sup> **April 2023 to 31**<sup>st</sup> **March 2024**, please state which of the following arrangements were used for reporting radiology cases which were not reported by employed or locum radiologists during their contracted Programmed Activities (PAs). Please also state the amount spent in each category used.

	Method used (Y/N)	If yes, amount spent
a) Payment to own consultants for additional work outside contracted PAs	, , ,	
b) Payment directly to another Trust/ NHS provider, or consultants employed by another Trust/ NHS provider for reporting		
c) Payment to a commercial company for reporting		

2b. If the answer to c) above was yes, please state which of the following companies was used, and the amount paid to each of the following companies in relation to financial year 2023/24.

	Company used (Y/N)	If yes, amount spent
Medica plc		
Telemedicine Clinic (TMC		
Radiology Reporting Online (AKA Everlight)		
Four Ways		
Dulwich Medical		
Other (please state which)		

Kent and Medway NHS and Social Care Partnership Trust are commissioned to provide the mental health care and treatment for the Kent and Medway area. The Trust do not therefore hold the above information as this type of care and treatment would be provided by the Acute hospital Trust's across the Kent and Medway area.

I confirm that the information above completes your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. I am also pleased to confirm that no charge will be made for this request.

If you have any questions or concerns or are unhappy with the response provided or the service you have received you can write to the Head of Information Governance at the address on top of this letter. If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision.

**Yours Sincerely** 

On Behalf of The Information Governance Department