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Subject: Trust spend on software developed

## REQUEST & RESPONSE

In line with my rights under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, I would like to make a freedom of information request to St Helens and Knowsley Hospitals NHS Trust in regard to the following:

1. In the last financial year, what was the Trust spend on patient pathway validation obtained from external providers (contractors, staffing agencies)?

**Zero**

2. Does the Trust currently utilise software developed and provided by an external provider to generate information on the Trust's incomplete, planned inpatient or planned outpatient waiting list data (dashboards, reports etc)?

**No**

3. In the last financial year, what was the Trust spend on software developed and provided by an external provider to generate information on the Trust's incomplete, planned inpatient or planned outpatient waiting list data (dashboards, reports etc)?

**Zero**

4. Does the Trust currently utilise software developed and provided by an external provider to generate information on cancer waiting list data (dashboards, reports etc)?

**No**

5. In the last financial year, what was the Trust spend on software developed and provided by an external provider to generate information on cancer waiting list data (dashboards, reports etc)?

**Zero**

6. Does the Trust currently use an external provider to deliver RTT training to Trust staff?

**No**

7. In the last financial year, what was the Trust spend on externally developed RTT training?

**No**

8. What Patient Administration System (PAS) is currently used by the Trust?

**Medway**

9. What Patient Administration System (PAS) is the Trust planning to procure and utilise once the Trust's existing PAS contract has expired?

**Not known**

10. In the last financial year, has the Trust had an audit or review of the Trust's patient waiting list data quality by an external organisation?

**No**

11. In the last financial year, what was the Trust's spend on review or audit of the Trust's patient waiting list data quality delivered by an external organisation?

**Zero**

This information is being requested in the public interest, to ensure Trust spend is being utilised optimally.