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Date Received: 4<sup>th</sup> May 2023

Response Due: 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2023

Date: 19<sup>th</sup> June 2023

Dear Sir/Madam

You asked:

**I am writing to make an open government request for all the information to which I am entitled under the FOI Act 2000.**

**Can you please provide an update on your Trust's Infrastructure? The six questions are in the attached spreadsheet, which I would be grateful if you could fill in.**

Please see attached spreadsheet for responses.

## **Refusal Notice for - Section 31 (1)(a)(g)**

The information which has been withheld is exempt from disclosure under section 31(1) (g) of the Freedom of Information Act. The relevant parts of the ICO guidance on the subject (<https://ico.org.uk/media/for-organisations/documents/1207/law-enforcement-foi-section-31.pdf>) run as follows:

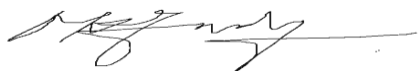
31.—(1) Information is exempt if its disclosure under this Act would, or would be likely to, prejudice - (a) the prevention or detection of crime. (g) the exercise by any public authority of its functions for any of the purposes specified in subsection (2).

It is the view of our Information security function that disclosure of the information would prejudice our ability to resist cyber-attacks, etc. on our systems.

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 black ink, appearing to read 'Malcolm Gandy', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Malcolm Gandy  
Chief Information 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