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Dear

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Freedom of Information Act Request

I am writing in response to your e-mail of the 22nd August 2023. Your request has been processed using the Trust's procedures for the disclosure of information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000).

Requested information:

			Response
1	The number of neurologists employed within your Trust, including:	Number:	0
		FTE:	0
1a	The total number of neurologists	Number	N/A
		FTE	
1b	The number of which are adult neurologists	Number:	N/A
		FTE:	
1c	The number of which are paediatric neurologists	Number:	N/A
		FTE:	
1d	How many adult neurologists are epileptologists	Number:	N/A
		FTE:	
1e	How many paediatric neurologists are epileptologists	Number:	N/A
		FTE:	
1f	If you do not employ neurologists, please provide details of who provides your neurology services	Name of provider:	Neurology Services are provided by University Hospital of North Midlands (UHNM) https://www.uhnm.nhs.uk/
2	The number of epilepsy specialist nurses (ESNs) employed within your Trust, including:	Number:	0
		FTE:	0
2a	The number of which are adult ESNs	Number:	N/A
		FTE:	
2b	The number of which are paediatric ESNs	Number:	N/A
		FTE:	
2c	How many adult ESNs have Learning Disability expertise	Number:	N/A
		FTE:	
2d	How many paediatric ESNs have Learning Disability expertise	Number:	N/A
		FTE:	

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3	The number of learning disability nurses who have epilepsy expertise	Number:	7
		FTE:	4.65
4	The number of staff working within obstetrics who have epilepsy expertise, and their job titles	Number:	0
		FTE:	0
		Job titles:	N/A
4a	Within this number, how many midwives have epilepsy expertise	Number:	0
		FTE:	N/A
5	The number of staff working within neurology who have expertise in obstetrics, and their job titles	Number:	0
		FTE:	0
		Job titles:	N/A

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review of the management of your request. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to: Dr Buki Adeyemo, Chief Executive, North Staffordshire Combined Healthcare Trust, Trust Headquarters, Lawton House, Bellringer Road, Trentham, ST4 8HH. If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely

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