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Dear

Freedom of Information Act Request

I am writing in response to your e-mail of the 4th September 2025. Your request has been processed using the Trust's procedures for the disclosure of information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000).

Requested information:

I would like disclosure of the two "comprehensive safety reviews completed where RCRP has been a potential contributing factor".

The Trust is refusing your request as this information is exempt from disclosure under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, as it constitutes personal data relating to a third party. Disclosure of this information would contravene one or more of the data protection principles set out in the UK General Data Protection Regulation (UK GDPR) and the Data Protection Act 2018, specifically the principle that personal data must be processed lawfully, fairly, and transparently. As such, this information is withheld.

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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