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Email only

12<sup>th</sup> July 2022

Dear

### **Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Request for Information**

Thank you for submitting a request for information which we received on 21<sup>st</sup> June 2022 in relation to County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust (the Trust). Your request has been processed under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and I am now able to provide you with a response.

Your request was in relation to data storage and I am providing the following information in response to your specific questions:

#### **Can you please provide an update on the following 4 questions regarding your Trust's Infrastructure as it relates to the Data Storage element?**

##### **1. Please provide the following details about your Data Storage Cloud Provider:**

**Does your Data Storage use Cloud Provision (Yes / No)?**

No

**Who is your main Cloud provider?**

**Annual Spend 2020-21 (£'s)**

**Contract end date**

**Additional Notes – e.g. currently out for tender:**

Not Applicable

2. Does your organisation plan to move your Data Storage to a cloud-based service in the next 2 years (Yes or No)?

No

**Main Supplier**  
**Additional Notes**

Not Applicable

3. For each element detailed below, how does your organisation manage its data storage?

**In-house data centre:** Yes

**On Premise OR Off Premise (N/A if does not apply) – On-Prem**

**Main Supplier – Dell**

**Annual Spend 2020-21 (£'s) – £477,000**

**Contract end date – 2025**

**Additional Notes – None**

**Shared service:**

**On Premise OR Off Premise (N/A if does not apply)**

**Main supplier**

**Annual Spend 2020-21 (£'s)**

**Contract end date**

**Additional Notes**

Not Applicable

**Data Storage Management:**

**On Premise OR Off Premise (N/A if does not apply) – On-Prem**

**Main supplier – Dell**

**Annual Spend 2020-21 (£'s) – £477.000**

**Contract end date – 2025**

**Additional Notes – None**

**Other (please specify)**  
**On Premise OR Off Premise (N/A if does not apply)**  
**Main supplier**  
**Annual Spend 2020-21 (£'s)**  
**Contract end date**  
**Additional Notes**

Not Applicable

**4. Does your Trust have an on-site data centre (Yes / No)**

Yes

**Do you plan to build an on-site data centre (Yes / No)**  
**If yes, what is the timeframe for this (Years)**  
**Who is your preferred supplier**

Not Applicable

In line with the Information Commissioner's directive on the disclosure of information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 your request will form part of our disclosure log on the Trust's website. However please be assured that we anonymise all responses prior to adding them to the disclosure log.

I hope that this response has provided you with the information you had requested. If you have any queries or wish to discuss the information supplied, please do not hesitate to contact me by telephone or in writing. If however, you are dissatisfied with the way in which your request has been handled and would like an internal review, you will need to contact me in writing at the above address or via [cdda-tr.cddftfoi@nhs](mailto:cdda-tr.cddftfoi@nhs).

If you remain dissatisfied with our response following an internal review you have the right to appeal to The Information Commissioner at Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. More information is available on their website; [www.ico.gov.uk](http://www.ico.gov.uk).

Yours sincerely

**Corporate Records and Freedom of Information Facilitator**