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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000 - Request for Information Reference: Staff Vaccination update rates

I am writing in response to your request for information under the FOI 2000.

I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that we do not hold the information you have requested. A response to each part of your request is provided below.





FOI Request / Question	Question Response	Is there an exemption?	Exemption	Exemption Details
This is a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. For the following periods: • Start of 2017 (data from 2016) • Start of 2021 (data from 2020) • Start of 2025 (data from 2024) I would like to request the following information: 1) Percentage of staff involved in direct patient care who are up to date with each of their routine immunisations as listed in the Chapter 12 of the Green Book • MMR • Tetanus and diphtheria • Polio	The information is not recorded in this way, which makes it not possible for us to provide an answer.	Is there an exemption?	Exemption	Exemption Details
For each vaccine, at each point in time, I would like you to provide: • The percentage of all staff listed in Chapter 12 of the Green Book who have received/are up to date with the vaccine • The percentage of doctors who have received/are up to date with the vaccine				

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- The percentage of nurses and midwives who have received/are up to date with the vaccine
- The percentage of allied health professionals who have received/are up to date with the vaccine
- 2) Uptake of the following vaccines by staff involved in direct patient care as listed in the Chapter 12 of the Green Book:
- BCG (as per Green Book guidance)
- Hepatitis B
- Varicella
- Influenza

For each vaccine, at each point in time, I would like you to provide:

- The percentage of all staff listed in Chapter 12 of the Green Book who have received/are up to date with the vaccine
- The percentage of doctors who have received/are up to date with the vaccine
- The percentage of nurses and midwives who have received/are up to date with the vaccine
- The percentage of allied health professionals who have received/are up to date with the vaccine.

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I trust this information answers your request. Should you have any further enquiries or queries about this response please do not hesitate to contact me. However, if you are unhappy with the way in which your request has been handled, you have the right to ask for an internal review. 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: Sally Brook Shanahan, Director of Corporate Affairs, King's Mill Hospital, Mansfield Road, Sutton in Ashfield, Nottinghamshire, NG17 4JL or email sally.brookshanahan@nhs.net.

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of the internal review, you can apply to the Information Commissioner's Office, who will consider whether we have complied with our obligations under the Act and can require us to remedy any problems. Generally, the Information Commissioner's Office cannot decide unless you have exhausted the internal review procedure. You can find out more about how to do this, and about the Act in general, on the Information Commissioner's Office website at: https://ico.org.uk/your-data-matters/official-information/.

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Yours faithfully

Information Governance Team

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