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**Our reference: FOI DA5586**

I am responding to your request for information received 6<sup>th</sup> September 2024. This has been treated as a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I am now enclosing a response which is attached to the end of this letter. Please do not hesitate to contact me on the contact details above if you have any further queries.

If you are dissatisfied with the Trust's response to your FOIA request then you should contact us and we will arrange for an internal review of this decision.

If you remain dissatisfied with the decision following our response to your complaint, you may write to the Information Commissioner for a decision under Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
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Tel: 0303 123 1113  
Web: [www.ico.org.uk](http://www.ico.org.uk)

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**Request:**

**Question 1:** We are collecting data about recruitment rates on commercially sponsored clinical trials (primarily Phase II and III) and would appreciate it if you could share with us a list of the trials that your hospitals have participated in the past five (5) years. We are happy to receive this information in any format but, ideally, we would like the information to include:

- A Study Identifier such as: NCT Study Number / Study Name / EudraCT no / Protocol no.;
- The name of the Hospital participating in the Study;
- Confirmation of how many patients were successfully enrolled by the Hospital (i.e. completed screening and recruited).

**Answer:** The Trust has reviewed question 1 of your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000.

Section 21(1) of the FOI Act states:

*(1) Information which is reasonably accessible to the applicant otherwise than under section 1 is exempt information.*

The information requested is accessible here:

Question 1:

<https://www.elft.nhs.uk/sites/default/files/2023-05/ANON%20Response%20-%20FOI%20DA4686.pdf>



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