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I am responding to your request for information received 3 December 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.

Yours sincerely,

Information Rights Coordinator

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  
Cheshire  
SK9 5AF

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**Chief Executive Officer:** Lorraine Sunduza  
**Chair:** Eileen Taylor

**Request: Subject: Reporting of radiology cases**

**Question 1a: For the period 1<sup>st</sup> April 2023 to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2024, please state which if any of the following arrangements were used for generating radiology images:**

	Y/N
A private contractor managed fixed MRI or CT scanners	
A private contractor managed mobile MRI or CT scanners	

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

Section 1(1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 states:

*Any person making a request for information to a public authority is entitled—*  
*(a) to be informed in writing by the public authority whether it holds information of the description specified in the request, and*  
*(b) if that is the case, to have that information communicated to them.*

East London NHS Foundation Trust is primarily a Mental Health and Community Health Trust and as such does not provide radiology services. The Trust is therefore unable to provide a response.

**Question 1b: Please state the amount spent with each of the following contractors for radiology services:**

Provider	Company used (Y/N)	Amount spent (£) in year for fixed scanners	Amount spent (£) in year for mobile scanners
Alliance Medical			
Inhealth			
Medneo			
Cobalt			
Other suppliers			

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

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**Question 2a: For the period 1<sup>st</sup> April 2023 to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2024, please state which of the following arrangements were used for reporting radiology cases which were not reported by employed or locum radiologists during their contracted Programmed Activities (PAs). Please also state the amount spent in each category used.**



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	Method used (Y/N)	If yes, amount spent
a) Payment to own consultants for additional work outside contracted PAs		
b) Payment directly to another Trust/ NHS provider, or consultants employed by another Trust/ NHS provider for reporting		
c) Payment to a commercial company for reporting		

Answer: The Trust has reviewed question 2a of your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000.

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**Question 2b: If the answer to c) above was yes, please state which of the following companies was used, and the amount paid to each of the following companies in relation to financial year 2023/24.**

	Company used (Y/N)	If yes, amount spent
Medica plc		
Telemedicine Clinic (TMC)		
Radiology Reporting Online (AKA Everlight)		
Four Ways		
Dulwich Medical		
Other (please state which)		

Answer: The Trust has reviewed question 2b of your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000.

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