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Dear [REDACTED]

Request for Information

Good Morning Sabrina

I write further to your request FOI ID 41145 under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 regarding: -

Unlicensed Medication

Your request is set out below:

1. What is the total value of spend by your NHS Trust on unlicensed medication (i.e. Special Order, Drug Tariff Special Order, Part VIID Drug Tariff Special Order) that have a BNF liquid formulation (e.g. liquid, solution, suspension)? Please provide this information on a volume and value basis for the following years (*please fill in the tables below*).

Note: Value of spend to mean either net ingredient cost or actual cost. Please state which you have used below. Actual cost would be the total cost to NHS commissioners whereas NIC is the cost at list price excluding VAT.

Total value: £0 – The Kent and Medway NHS and Social Care Partnership Trust outsource pharmacy supply.

2. Do you outsource the manufacturing of liquid unlicensed products?

No

3. If no to question 3 (use of outsourcing providers), what proportion of the products that you manufacture in-house are aseptically compounded rather than terminally sterilised?

The Kent and Medway NHS and Social Care Partnership Trust does not manufacture in-house aseptically compounded medications.

4. If yes to question 3 (use of outsourcing providers), what is the total value of spend by provider? Please provide this information for the following years (*please fill in the tables below*).

Note: If more than 10 providers are used, please only detail spend with the top 10.

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Trust Chair – Dr Jackie Craissati
Chief Executive – Sheila Stenson

N/A

I confirm that the information above completes your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. I am also pleased to confirm that no charge will be made for this request.

If you have any questions or concerns or are unhappy with the response provided or the service you have received you can write to the Head of Information Governance at the address on top of this letter. If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision.

Yours Sincerely

On Behalf of
The Information Governance Department