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Dear

Sent via email

Request for Information

I write further to your request FOI ID OP177 under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 regarding:-

PFI contractors

Your request is set out below:

How much the payments by the Trust to PFI contractors have increased as a result of inflation over the last year and the Trust's predictions of the likely additional increases in payments to the PFI company over the current financial year.

Kent and Medway NHS and Social Care Partnership Trusts (KMPT) payments to PFI contractors in 22/23 increased by £197k as a result of inflation, the trust does not have any predictions about additional increases in payments.

2.a) The projected Unitary Charge for the current financial year, 2023-24 -

KMPT cannot provide predictions about additional increases in payments.

2.b) The projected \pounds increase in Unitary Charge payments which can be attributed to inflation, when compared to the previous financial year (2022-23). –

KMPT cannot provide predictions about additional increases in payments.

3. The amount of financial support (if any) provided by NHS England or the Department of Health and Social care specifically to assist with meeting the additional cost of inflation rises. —

No additional financial support has been provided to KMPT by NHS England or the Department of Health and Social care specifically to assist with meeting the additional cost of inflation rises

4. A summary of information held on specific or local factors (other than inflation) which may have had a significant impact on PFI costs in the previous two years e.g. Major lifecycle maintenance, availability issues, disputes, service contract re-basing or other major contract milestones. —

No other factors are believed to have had a significant impact upon KMPT's PFI costs

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