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Further to your recent request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 2000, I now set out our answers to your specific questions, and any clarifications sought and provided, as follows:

I am undertaking research into how diagnostic imaging services (CT and MRI) are delivered within the NHS. I would be grateful if you could provide the information requested in the attached spreadsheet.

[Please see that attached document - 'FOI 26-195 Diagnostic Imaging - CT MRI v1'](#).

I trust this information is helpful in its detail or explanation however, if you are dissatisfied with the response, then you have the right to request an internal review. If you wish to seek an internal review, please write to the Freedom of Information Team at esh-tr.foi@nhs.net quoting the above FOI reference number, within 40 working days. Please note the Trust is not obliged to accept a request for an internal review after this time period.

Yours faithfully

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5. If your Trust has used a mobile MRI or CT service (that you operate or a third-party operates) in the last three years, what was the reason for using the service? Please tick all that apply

a) Routine ongoing additional capacity

b) Interim capacity during scanner installation / replacement

c) Ad hoc additional capacity (e.g. at times of high demand)

d) Interim capacity to support CDC build

e) Other (please specify)

Question 5 - Not applicable.

6. If your Trust has provided mobile scanning services, what was the approximate volume of CT and MRI scans carried out using mobile services in the last three years?

Year	CT	MRI
2023/2024	0	0
2024/2025	0	0
2025 / 2026 (year-to-date)	0	0