

**Reference Number:** FOI/LHCH/2017042  
**From:** Private Individual  
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**Subject:** Cloud vendors and usage

Q1 Are you currently using any cloud services from a public cloud vendor such as Amazon, Microsoft etc?

A1 No

Q2 What services are you using?

A2 Information not held – not applicable

Q3 Who is responsible for maintaining these relationships?

A3 Information not held – not applicable

Q4 If not, have you plans to begin using any such services in the next 3 years?

A4 No formal plans at the moment

Q5 Would you consider utilising Infrastructure as a Service(IaaS) in the future as a means to reduce costs and simplify IT

A5 Information not held – this is a general question and not a valid request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

The Act provides a right of access any recorded information held by a public authority and to be valid under Section 8 a request must describe the recorded information being requested.

Q6 If not, why not?

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Q7 Who is responsible for setting your annual ICT/Informatics budget/s?

A7 Head of Digital Systems in conjunction with Digital Systems Finance Lead