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Subject: Cost of cyber security training and private security contractors/consultants, total number of ransom ware attacks and recovery costs from said attacks, and number of qualified cyber security staff

Q1 The total amount spent by the Trust on data security and cyber security training in the 12 months to the 1st of December 2020 (or the last year for which data was available); and the breakdown of these costs in terms of the training undertaken.

A1 Zero. We utilise the national CORS initiative.

Q2 The total amount spent by the Trust on private cyber security contractors and/or consultants/consultancies the last 12 months to the 1st of December 2020.

A2 Zero. We utilise the national CORS initiative.

Q3 The total number of ransom ware attacks (or other cyber-attacks) in the last 12 months to the 1st of December 2020.

A3 Information exempt under Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 - 'Information reasonably accessible to the applicant by other means'.

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<http://www.lhch.nhs.uk/about-lhch/performance-plans-and-publications/annual-reports-and-accounts/>

Q4 The total amount spent by the Trust in recovery costs from ransom ware (or other cyber-attacks) the last 12 months to the 1st of December 2020.

A4 Zero

Q5 The total number of qualified cyber security and data security professionals employed by the Trust.

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