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Subject: Pest Control Measures including number of times and cost

I hope this message finds you well. I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act regarding pest control measures at your NHS Trust's hospital sites over the last five years.

Specifically, I would like to obtain the following data:

- Q1 The total number of times exterminators or pest control services were called at each hospital between 2018 and 2023 to date.
- A1 385
- Q2 A detailed breakdown of the reasons or specific pest issues that led to the calls for exterminators during this period and the actions exterminators and pest control took to remedy this.
- A2 Rodents, cockroaches, ants and flies
- Treatments used include Brodifacam, Deltamethrine, Cypermethrine, snap traps, and Maxforce Gel
- Q3 The total cost incurred, broken down by hospital, for pest control services, including the costs of removing pests, shooting pigeons, and other related expenses in the timeframe.
- A3 £4,994