

Ref: FOI/GS/ID 6901

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### **Freedom of Information Act 2000**

Thank you for your request for further information relating to your FOI request reference FOI/GS/ID 6901 and the information disclosed.

*You asked:*

*Within your FOI response letter dated 13 October 2021, you state:*

*“15.(b) I have been unable to get a response for this question. Please contact me again if you wish me to continue to chase a response.”*

*The above relates to my following FOI request question:*

***“(b) Within the Trust’s Accident and Emergency computer system used in April 2012, was there only the facility to record the ‘Primary Diagnosis’ and ‘Diagnosis Comments’, and no facility within the software to record specific secondary and third diagnoses when inputting the data in real time, other than within the ‘Diagnosis Comments’ field?”***

***I confirm that I would like you to continue to chase for the full and direct response to this question (i.e. not a generalised response).***

Trust response:

I have received the following information from the A&E department.

“That is correct, further diagnoses were hand written in the CAS card and scanned in following attendance.”