

**Freedom of Information Request: 0417 2019/20**

**I would like to request the following under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.**

- 1. How many vending machines have there been across your trusts' grounds, in each of the past five years?**
  - QE 33 machines
  - Good Hope 23 machines
  - Heartlands Hospital 20 machines
  - Solihull Hospital 12 machines
- 2. Can you break down the above question into how many of these are with snacks containing less than 150 calories and how many included traditional confectionery, chocolate bars and fizzy drinks.**
  - The above following question has to be answered as the following based on CQUIN
  - CQUIN states 80% of confectionary must be under 250Kal
  - Large Combination machines stock 92.3% under 250kal
  - Large Snack Machines stock 80% under this 250kal
  - Drinks Machines all zero rated 100%
  - Standard Combination machines / Drinks all zero rated 100% / Snacks 80% under 250kal
  - Standard machine snack 87% of offer under 250kal
- 3. How much profit did the trust earn from these machines in each of the past five years? If possible, could you separate that figure for the separate types of vending machines please.**

We do not hold information relating to the profit derived from vending machines across the Trust, nor do we hold any information by type of vending machine. The table below shows the royalty we received from the vending machine contractor.

	<b>QEH</b>	<b>HGS</b>
2014/15	£54,679	£118,952
2015/16	£54,144	£96,829
2016/17	£49,984	£96,574
2017/18	£62,703	£110,469
2018/19	£76,976	£136,648

- 4. Which company is contracted to provide the machines?**
  - The Vending People