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Funded Nursing Care

I am writing in response to your request for information dated 16 October 2018 in which you requested information regarding Funded Nursing Care.

For ease of reference, I have reproduced your question below and set out our corresponding response.

I understand that you have provided guidance to the Health Boards in relation to their releasing the payment due to providers such as ourselves, please could you provide me with a copy of that guidance.

We hold some information which matches this description in an email exchange with Powys Health Board and a copy of this is attached.

I have redacted some personal information, including the name of a member of staff at the Health Board, under the exemption at s40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 as disclosures under the Act are into the wider public domain and I consider that release of this information would not be within the reasonable expectation of the individual concerned. As such, the disclosure is likely to be unfair and to disclose would be a breach of the Data Protection Act Principle concerning fairness.

If you wish to complain about the handling of your request, please write to Martin Peters, Head of Law and Ethics, by email to martin.peters@audit.wales or by post to 24 Cathedral Road, Cardiff, CF11 9LJ.

I must also refer you to section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act under which you may apply to the Information Commissioner for a decision on whether or not your request has been dealt with in accordance with the Act. The Information Commissioner's contact details are:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire SK9 5AF

email: casework@ico.gsi.gov.uk

Tel: 01625 545745

Fax: 01625 524510

You should note, however, that the Information Commissioner would normally expect you to have exhausted our internal complaints procedures before dealing with such an application. Further guidance may be found on the Information Commissioner's website: <https://ico.org.uk/>

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Information Officer