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Freedom of Information request

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which was received by the Trust on 20/09/2021. Please see responses to your requests below.

1. How many artworks have been purchased by the trust in 2018-19, 2019-20 and 2020-21?

The Trust has not purchased any artwork in any of the above stated years.

2. How many artworks are in the possession of the trust?

This information is not stored centrally. To extract this information, we would have to visit each area of all our sites. It is estimated that to attempt to retrieve all the information you require would take a considerable amount of retrieval time, which would exceed 18 hours. This would exceed the appropriate limit for dealing with a Freedom of Information Request, in terms of costs and therefore Section 12(1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 applies.

3. What is the estimated value of the artworks?

This information is not known. Many of the Trust's artworks are personal donations from members of the public and unfortunately the Trust does not record this information

4. How many of the artworks are on public display?

Please see answer to question 2.

Please accept this letter as completion of your request. Please note that copies of this request will be held on file for three years before being confidentially destroyed.

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of your request, please contact our Head of Information Governance on Information.Governance@porthosp.nhs.uk or write to the above address and we will conduct an internal review. Upon review, if you are still dissatisfied, you may appeal our decision by contacting the Information Commissioner's Office; for more information, please visit the [ICO's website](#).

Please be aware, if we do not receive an appeal within 30 days of you receiving this letter, we will assume that you are satisfied with our response. If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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