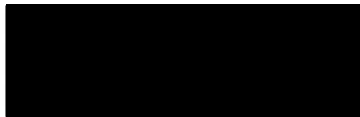


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**By email**



Dear 

**Request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the “FOI Act”)**

I refer to your email of 17 January 2017 in which you requested information under the FOI Act from NHS Improvement. Since 1 April 2016, NHS Improvement is the operational name for the organisation which brings together Monitor and the NHS Trust Development Authority. For the purposes of this decision, NHS Improvement means Monitor and the Authority.

**Your request**

You made the following request:

*“Please provide the amount of capital funding considered available, allocated or projected to be spent in support of the Sustainability and Transformation Plan process.”*

**Decision**

NHS Improvement does not hold the specific information that you have requested.

The Department of Health capital budget is £4.8bn for each year of the Spending Review period (2016/17 to 2020/21). The funding split across business as normal capital and transformational capital for STPs is not yet agreed for 2017/18 onwards. No capital was specifically allocated for STPs in 2016/17.

**Review rights**

If you consider that your request for information has not been properly handled or if you are otherwise dissatisfied with the outcome of your request, you can try to resolve this informally with the person who dealt with your request. If you remain dissatisfied, you may seek an internal review within NHS Improvement of the issue or the decision. A senior member of

NHS Improvement's staff, who has not previously been involved with your request, will undertake that review.

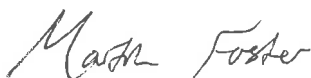
If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of any internal review, you may complain to the Information Commissioner for a decision on whether your request for information has been dealt with in accordance with the FOI Act.

A request for an internal review should be submitted in writing to FOI Request Reviews, NHS Improvement, Wellington House, 133-155 Waterloo Road, London SE1 8UG or by email to [nhsi.foi@nhs.net](mailto:nhsi.foi@nhs.net).

### **Publication**

Please note that this letter will shortly be published on our website. This is because information disclosed in accordance with the FOI Act is disclosed to the public at large. We will, of course, remove your personal information (e.g. your name and contact details) from the version of the letter published on our website to protect your personal information from general disclosure.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Martin Foster".

**Martin Foster**  
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