

Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on Thursday 8th August 2024. I am pleased to confirm the following.

Q1	Which ICB is your Trust in?	<i>Bedfordshire, Luton and Milton Keynes ICB</i>
Q2	In the financial year 2023-24, was your organisation in a deficit or surplus compared to your financial forecast?	<i>Surplus</i>
Q3	Have you agreed to breakeven or be in surplus with your ICB by the end of the 2024-25 financial year?	<i>Yes (breakeven)</i>
<i>If you answered 'surplus' to Q2, please proceed to Q7. If you answered 'deficit' please answer all remaining questions</i>		
Q4 a)	In the financial year 2023-24, how many applications for investment have you submitted through the double lock sign off protocol?	<i>Please insert</i>
Q4 b)	In the financial year 2023-24, how many applications for investment have you submitted through the triple lock sign off protocol?	<i>Please insert</i>
Q5 a)	At the time of asking, how many applications for funding made by your Trust are currently being considered through the double lock protocol and what is the total value of these outstanding applications?	<i>Total number of outstanding applications: Total value of outstanding applications:</i>
Q5 b)	At the time of asking, how many applications for funding made by your Trust are currently being considered through the triple lock protocol and what is the total value of these outstanding applications?	<i>Total number of outstanding applications: Total value of outstanding applications:</i>

Q6 a)	Based on the experience of your organisation, on average how long does an application for funding take to be approved through the double lock sign off protocol?	<i>Select as appropriate:</i> a) 0-1 month b) 1-3 months c) 3-6 months d) over 6 months
Q6 b)	Based on the experience of your organisation, on average how long does an application for funding take to be approved through the triple lock sign off protocol?	<i>Select as appropriate:</i> a) 0-1 month b) 1-3 months c) 3-6 months d) over 6 months
Q7	Has the introduction of double and triple lock sign off protocols improved the financial sustainability of your organisation?	<i>MKUH is not in a formal double or triple lock.</i>

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If you need any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us at the address above.

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Co-ordinator
For and on behalf of Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

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