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Dear Requester,

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request. Please note, this is a cross-site response for Bedford site and Luton site.

You asked:

* **for CT please write the number of slices**
* **for MRI please write the Tesla**
* **for Fluoroscopy please write if its fixed or mobile, flat panel or image intensifier**
* **for Mammography please write if it is static or trailer, 2D or 3D**
* **for Nuclear please write if its PET, PET-CT, PET-MRI, SPECT or SPECT-CT,**
* **for Ultrasound please write the capability (2D, 3D, 4D)**
* **for X-ray please write if it is static or mobile, CR, DR or retrofitted**

Answer:

We have been unable to include the maintenance costs for this question.  Unfortunately we do not currently have a comprehensive database with this information on, to manually identify costs it would exceed the appropriate time limit identified in Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Therefore, this question is exempt under Section 12 - where the cost of compliance exceeds the appropriate limit.

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Yours sincerely,

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