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From: Private Individual
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Subject: New drugs for use within the Trust

I am writing to request information on new drugs that have been approved by the National Institute of Health and Care Excellence but have not been made available within your trust. With that in mind I would like to request the following information.

- Q1 I would like a list of all drugs currently under consideration for use within the trust.
- A1 Information not held - We use the NHS SPS Horizon scanning tool to consider new drugs.
- Q2 I would like to know within the last year how many drugs have been approved by NICE but rejected for use in your trust. If this is applicable, I would like a list of all drugs rejected.
- A2 Information not held – no drugs approved by NICE have been rejected by the Trust in the past year.
- Q3 I would like to know how much the Trust has spent on drugs for the years 2024, 2023, 2022
- A3 This information is available on our website, it can be found in our Annual Reports and Accounts:
<https://www.alderhey.nhs.uk/about/publications/>
- Q4 I would like to know how much the Trust has received from NHS England specifically to purchase drugs for 2024, 2023, 2022.
- A4 As per A3