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Dear,

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI 221114.

You requested the following information, please also see our response below:

**To ask if the Trust has or if not will implement recommendations R105 & R106 of the Manchester Arena Inquiry Report.**

**Ambulance services at a national level**

**R105 Ambulance service trusts should review their capacity to respond to a mass casualty incident. That should include an assessment of whether they have an adequate number of trained specialist personnel to respond effectively to a mass casualty incident.**

This is under constant review, and forms part of the requirement every year on the assurance provided to board.

**R106 Having carried out that review, the trusts should make recommendations to their NHS commissioners about the additional and/or different resources they require in order to ensure that they are able to respond effectively to a mass casualty incident in the numbers required.**

This also forms part of the assurance provided to our board and will be examined as part of the core contract.

I hope you find this information of some assistance.

If for any reason you are dissatisfied with our response, kindly in the first instance contact Caroline Smart, Head of Information Governance via the following email address:

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Yours sincerely

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