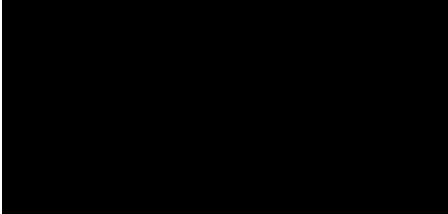


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**Freedom of Information Reference: FOI-2023-000365 – Flu vaccine data**

I refer to your freedom of information request that we received on 03 October 2023 requesting the following information.

**Can you confirm the different types of flu vaccines ever administered in Scotland separated by year of deployment and for what age groups recommended?**

I can advise you that we have now completed the search of our records and can provide you with the following information:

Under Section 17 of the Freedom of Information Scotland Act, 2002 an organisation does not have to provide the requested information if it does not hold that information. NHS National Services Scotland (NSS) cannot provide details around the flu vaccines that were administered in Scotland as that information would be held by Public Health Scotland (PHS). If you wish to contact PHS you can do so using the following email address - [PHS.FOI@phs.scot](mailto:PHS.FOI@phs.scot)

What we can provide you with is Appendix 1 – Vaccines Procured, for this information. This details data from 2016/2017 to the present year detailing the types of vaccines procured by year, the manufacturer and the intended cohort.

I trust you will find the information of assistance and if you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

If you are unhappy with any aspect of how we have dealt with your request, you can make representations to us asking us to review the handling of your request. Please write to the

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If after a review you are still unhappy, you also have the right to apply to the Scottish Information Commissioner, who can be contacted at Kinburn Castle, St Andrews, Fife, KY16 9DS, or via their [online application form](#).

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact me at the above address.

Yours sincerely

