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### Request:

In order to better understand the dynamics of the UK hearing aid market I'm submitting a FOI request for data on which manufacturer's hearing aids Norfolk and Suffolk NHS Foundation Trust, or any predecessor organisation, has purchased and dispensed over the past 5 years.

Ideally I'd like this data on a monthly basis and described on a £ and unit basis. An example data point might be:

"Norfolk and Suffolk NHS Foundation Trust spent £20,000 on the 100 Sonova hearing aids purchased in November 2014"

### Response:

Thank you for your recent request under the Freedom of Information Act. I can confirm that Norfolk and Suffolk NHS Foundation Trust is a Secondary Mental Health Trust therefore, I do not believe that your request is relevant to this Trust.