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Dear [REDACTED]

**Freedom of Information Act 2000 request: *Public Health Funerals***

With reference to your request for information, dated 25 April, made under section 1(1) of the Freedom of Information Act, I am writing to inform you of the outcome of your information request.

You asked the following:

- 1) **How many public health funerals has this NHS Trust arranged each year from 2010 to 2015?**
- 2) **How much money has this NHS Trust spent on public health funerals each year from 2010 to 2015?**
- 3) **What was the most expensive, and the cheapest, public health funeral this NHS Trust arranged during 2010-2015? How much did each cost?**
- 4) **What was the age and gender of the youngest person and oldest person to be given a public health funeral from 2010-2015?**
- 5) **How many burials were there during 2010-2015? How many cremations were there during 2010-2015?**
- 6) **Where does this NHS Trust bury/cremate a person for a public health funeral?**
- 7) **How many times is an unmarked grave used?**

Our response:

Central London Community Healthcare (CLCH) NHS Trust has not arranged any public health funerals for the periods stated. All public health funerals are arranged by the Local Authorities.

This completes our response to your request for information. If you are unhappy with our response, please write to us giving your reasons and we will address them. If you remain dissatisfied you are entitled to appeal to the Information Commissioner:

Customer Contact  
Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow SK9 5AF  
Tel: 0303 123 1113  
[http://ico.org.uk/concerns/getting/report\\_concern\\_foi](http://ico.org.uk/concerns/getting/report_concern_foi)

Yours sincerely,

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