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Dear [REDACTED]

**RE: SCCL-FOI-2021-074**

Thank you for your FOI request, requesting information on the use of Safety Pen Needles for Insulin Administration within the NHS. You requested that we provide the annual spend and specify the annual quantities of each variant of pen needle purchased within the NHS

Your request has been handled as a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and we are able to provide a reply to your request. Supply Chain Coordination Limited (SCCL) confirms it does hold information for NHS Supply Chain's spend and the data is within the attached excel spreadsheet.

If you are dissatisfied with this response you may request an independent internal review of our handling of your request by submitting a complaint within two months to the postal or e-mail addresses above, quoting the reference number above. If you ask for an internal review, it would be helpful if you could say why you are dissatisfied with the response.

As part of any internal review the handling of your information request will be reassessed by a member of SCCL staff who was not involved in providing you with this response. If you remain dissatisfied after this internal review, you will have a right of complaint to the Information Commissioner as established by section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act.

If you require any further information do not hesitate to contact the FOI team

Yours sincerely,

FOI Team

**Supply Chain Coordination Limited**  
**Management Function of NHS Supply Chain**