Dear [Name],

Freedom of Information request: Answer to Parliamentary Question 145357 - ref UKRI – 2018/0058

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request submitted on 18 June 2018 in which you requested the following:

Your Request:

These requests relate to the Answer on 22/05/2018 by Caroline Dinenage to the Parliamentary Written Question of 17/05/2018 by Carol Monaghan, no 145357.

Available here: https://www.parliament.uk/business/publications/written-questions-answers-statements/written-question/Commons/2018-05-17/145357/

The Answer states that on research directly relating to CFS/ME, the MRC spent the following: 2014-15 £652,044; 2015-16 £287,234; 2016-17 £286,197.

Please state the following:

1. The names of the trials included in the £652,044 figure for 2014-15.
2. The names of the trials included in the £287,234 figure for 2015-16.
3. The names of the trials included in the £286,197 figure for 2016-17.

I am happy to receive this information in electronic format.

Our response:

I can confirm that UKRI does hold the information that you have requested. Our response is detailed below:
The Medical Research Council has updated its website and this information is now available in both Excel and csv formats at: https://mrc.ukri.org/funding/science-areas/population-systems-medicine/our-science-and-contacts-psmb/cfsmn/

I hope this answers your questions.

If you have any queries about this response please contact me, or if you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to request a review of our decision, please write to:

Complaints Officer
UK Research and Innovation
Polaris House
North Star Avenue
Swindon
SN2 1FL
Email: foi@ukri.org

Please quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are still not content with the outcome of the review, you may apply to refer the matter to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the review procedure provided by UKRI. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner
Wycliffe House,
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

Enquiry/Information Line: Between 9am and 5pm Monday to Friday 0303 123 1113 or 01625 545745

Further information about the Office of the Information Commissioner can be found at http://www.ico.gov.uk/

Yours sincerely,

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