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Dear Jayne

At the Children, Young People and Education Committee on the 13th January 2022 I agreed to provide a note with the data identifying specific spend on children and young people across my portfolio.

We are able to provide the following information in respect of NHS expenditure on children and young people:

- The cost of traditionally defined core paediatric services – for example: paediatric inpatients and outpatients, neonatal care, some paediatric surgery, health visiting and children and adolescent mental health services.
- An analysis of all services where costs are captured at a patient level, namely Accident and Emergency care, admitted patient care, outpatients across all specialties - capturing all cost and activity for specified age groups.

We are unable to separately identify costs of care for children and young people in out-of-hospital settings, such as general practice. This information is not currently available to enable age-specific costs to be calculated for these services.

We will also provide details of other non-NHS centrally held budgets within my portfolio which are supporting children and young people.

We will aim to provide this information by the end of February 2022.

The Deputy Minister for Social Services agreed to provide you with further information about the Children's Rights Impact Assessments that feed into policy decisions reflected in the Draft Budget. To support our commitment to 'Eliminate Profit from the Care of Looked After Children', the Eliminating Profit from Care Programme Board has developed an Integrated Impact Assessment (including a CRIA) which will shortly be published.

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We welcome receiving correspondence in Welsh. Any correspondence received in Welsh will be answered in Welsh and corresponding in Welsh will not lead to a delay in responding.

I hope I have provided clarity on these areas but if you would like further information please let me know.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'M. E. Morgan'.

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