

**Ref No. SG8329**

**Date: 19 June 2019**

**REQUEST:** I would appreciate it if you would please simply confirm by means of a statement similar to those given below where your Trust is now. For example:

1. "our Trust is (not) working collaboratively, but is looking to do so over the next few years with other trusts across the ICS or STP footprint"; or
2. "our Trust is working collaboratively with at least one other Trust within the STP footprint but not the footprint as a whole, sharing a digital platform and pool of workers in the following staffing categories: registered nursing & midwifery and medical & dental. We are working towards establishing a fully integrated bank over the next five years"; or
3. "our Trust is part of a fully integrated staff bank across our ICS or STP footprint for all staffing categories".

**OUR RESPONSE:** Statement 1 above applies.