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Access Request

Dear Mr. Bukshtynov,

I am writing regarding your access request under the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (hereafter, 'the Act') received by our office August 28, 2018 for the following:

"All information on any medical treatment (ER/surgery/doctor's visit, etc.) provided by all affiliated HHS hospitals and clinics as a result of any injuries and associated incidents that occurred at David Bradley Athletic Centre of McMaster University dated from January 1, 2007 until present.

To be included into the requested records: (a) date of injury/incident, (b) type of injury/incident, (c) location of injury/incident, (d) type of treatment/department, (e) short narrative for injury/treatment. Any type of personal information protected under FIPPA is NOT requested."

Access is denied under section 8 (1) of the Personal Health Information and Protection Act (PHIPA):

8. (1) Subject to subsection (2), the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act do not apply to personal health information in the custody or under the control of a health information custodian unless this Act specifies otherwise. 2007, c. 10, Sched. H, s. 4.

Records containing personal health information (PHI) of a patient are withheld from disclosure as the records are governed by PHIPA and are outside of the scope of *The Act*.

Please Note: If you are looking to obtain your personal health information under PHIPA, you must contact the health records department. We are returning your \$5 submission along with this letter.

You may request the Information and Privacy Commissioner (IPC) review our decision within thirty days from the date of this letter. The Commissioner's address is Suite 1400, 2 Bloor Street East, Toronto, Ontario, M4W 1A8.

Should you have any questions, please contact The Privacy and Freedom of Information Office at 905-521-2100 extension 75126.

Sincerely,

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