NIHR acknowledgement summary for researchers

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You must reference the following:
- Your affiliated university
- Your affiliated NHS Trust
- Manchester Academic Health Science Centre

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1 Division and School, Faculty of Biology, Medicine and Health, The University of Manchester

2 [Hospital name (if applicable)], [NHS Trust name], Manchester Academic Health Science Centre, Manchester [postcode]

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April 2017-March 2022: NIHR Manchester Biomedical Research Centre £28.5m (Title, BRC Role and Theme).

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