

Freedom of Information Request

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Information Requested:

We're interested in finding out how the Trust currently manages your clinical photography, and I am hoping you can please help by providing information on the following:

1. Do you have a solution to capture clinical photography?

Yes, in place for wound management capture including digital solution/development of an app and connectivity to existing digital infrastructure.

2. If so which solution and what media types does it support?

Image capture as any supported image format e.g. JPG.

3. Does this solution include clinical staff capturing photographs as part of the patient care episode? e.g. Nursing staff photographing bedsores during an inpatient stay (per the current safeguarding guidelines) or A&E capturing photographs of injuries on a night shift.

Yes, heal progress tracking and clinical decision support.

4. Is this a patient centric solution that clinicians can access at the point of care to review photographs or other digital content e.g. videos.?

Image capture only to support point of care decision making and progress.

5. If you do have a solution, when does your existing contract come to an end?

The Trust has a 5 year contract that commenced in 23/24.

6. How much did the solution cost and what are the annual maintenance charges?

Section 43(2): Commercial Interests. It is considered that the release of such information would place the Trust at a commercial disadvantage by restricting its negotiating powers for future contracts.

7. If you do not have a solution, how do you current manage this?

NA



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