



Ref: FOIA Reference 2024/25-745

Date: 20th February 2025

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Dear Sir/Madam

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 28th January 2025 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding Insulin Pump

Q1 I would like to request the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I would like to know the number of adults and children with Type 1 diabetes currently registered with the diabetes teams at your hospitals, on the date you obtain the data (I know it will update frequently)

I would also like to know how many patients you have on each of the below pumps for both adults and pediatrics.

**Ypsomed
Medtronic
Omnipod
Tandem T Slim**

I would also like to know how many of these are on a Hybrid Closed Loop system (optimal care as per NICE TA)

I would like you to provide this information in the following format.

	Adult Service	Paediatric Service
Number of Type 1 patients registered in service		
Number of Type 1 patients using an insulin pump		

	Adult Service	Adult Service	Paediatric Service	Paediatric Service
Number of patients currently using	Stand Alone Pump	Hybrid Closed Loop Pump	Stand Alone Pump	Hybrid Closed Loop Pump
Ypsomed				
Medtronic				
Omnipod				
Tandem T:Slim				

A1 There are currently 5,984 patients on the adult diabetes waiting list. It is not possible to provide the numbers separately as our Clinical Information System does not capture this information separately.

I can neither confirm nor deny whether the information you have requested is held by the Trust in its entirety. This is because the information requested in your question is not held centrally but may be recorded in health records. In order to confirm whether this information is held we would therefore have to individually access all health records within the Trust and extract the information where it is present. We therefore estimate that complying with your request is exempt under section 12 of the FOI Act: *cost of compliance is excessive*. The section 12 exemption applies when it is estimated a request will take in excess of 18 hours to complete. We estimate that accessing and reviewing all health records and then extracting relevant information would take longer than the 18 hours allowed for. In addition to the section 12 exemption the Trust is also applying section 14 (1) exemption: *oppressive burden on the authority*.

Please see below.

	Adult Service	Paediatric Service
Number of Type 1 patients registered in service	Section 12 exemption as detailed above	334
Number of Type 1 patients using an insulin pump	Royal Stoke site only 305 Numbers for County site not currently available but we are collating this for future requests.	200

	Adult Service	Adult Service	Paediatric Service	Paediatric Service
Number of patients currently using	Stand Alone Pump	Hybrid Closed Loop Pump	Stand Alone Pump	Hybrid Closed Loop Pump
Ypsomed	RSUH - 45	RSUH - 4	0	15
Medtronic	RSUH - 1	RSUH - 78	0	53
Omnipod	RSUH - 7	RSUH - 133	3 (dash)	103 (5)
Tandem T: Slim	RSUH - 33	RSUH - 4	0	26

*Please note that any individuals identified do not give consent for their personal data to be processed for the purposes of direct marketing.

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This letter confirms the completion of this request. A log of this request and a copy of this letter will be held by the Trust.

If you have any queries relating to the response please contact my office

Should you have a complaint about the response or the handling of your request, please also contact my office to request a review of this. If having exhausted the Trust's FOIA complaints process you are still not satisfied, you are entitled to approach the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) and request an assessment of the manner in which the Trust has managed your request.

The Information Commissioner may be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF or via www.ico.org.uk.

Yours,



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