

## **Royal Stoke University Hospital**

Ref: FOIA Reference 2019/20-219

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Date: 29<sup>th</sup> July 2019

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## Dear

I am writing in response to your email dated 18<sup>th</sup> July 2019 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding Trust's existing EPR.

On 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2019 we contacted you via email as UHNM had received several requests that are asking for similar information that we believe are from the same person/company, therefore as we have received no response, we are contacting you to inform you that under section 12 of the FOI Act we were aggregating these requests on Trust's existing EPR, Clinical systems and Order Communication System

The section 12 exemption states:

The authority can combine related requests received within a period of 60 consecutive days from:

- The same person or
- People who appear to be acting in concert or in pursuance of a campaign.

As of 1<sup>st</sup> November 2014 University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust (UHNM) manages two hospital sites – Royal Stoke University Hospital, and County Hospital (Stafford). Therefore the response below is for the two sites combined from that date where appropriate.

- Q1 What is the name of the Trust's existing EPR?
- A1 Medway
- Q2 The name of the supplier
- A2 System C
- Q3 When is contract end date?
- A3 2022
- Q4 Is the Trust planning to go out to procurement within the next 6 months for a new EPR solution?
- A4 No
- Q5 If the Trust is planning to go out to procurement, which framework does it plan to use?







A5	Not applicable
Q6	Does the Trust's existing EPR contain an integrated order communications and results reporting solution?
A6	Yes
Q7	If the Trust is planning to go out to procurement within the next 6 months for a new EPR solution, will it include an integrated order communications and results reporting solution?
A7	Not applicable
Q8	Has the Trust implemented a patient portal solution that enables patients to access and see their results?
A8	No
Q9	If so, which solution and who is the supplier?
A9	Not applicable
Q10	If not, does the Trust plan to procure a patient portal solution that enables patients to access and see their results?
A10	We don't have any current plan to publish results to patients from Medway or their products.
Q11	The name and email address of the Trust CIO / Director of IT
Δ11	Mark Bostock

\*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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An anonymised copy of this request can be found on the Trust's disclosure log, please note that all requests can be found at the following link: <a href="http://www.uhnm.nhs.uk/aboutus/Statutory-Policies-and-Procedures/Pages/Freedom-of-Information-Disclosure-Log.aspx">http://www.uhnm.nhs.uk/aboutus/Statutory-Policies-and-Procedures/Pages/Freedom-of-Information-Disclosure-Log.aspx</a>







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 related to the response provided please in the first instance 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 <a href="https://www.ico.org.uk">www.ico.org.uk</a>.

If following review of the responses I can be of any further assistance please contact my secretary on 01782 676474.

Yours.

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**Information Governance Manager** 

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