



Ref: FOIA Reference 2024/25-002

Date: 12<sup>th</sup> April 2024

Email [foi@uhnm.nhs.uk](mailto:foi@uhnm.nhs.uk)

Dear

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your email dated 2nd April 2024 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding cleaning brushes

As of 1<sup>st</sup> November 2014 University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust (UHM) 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 I would like to understand the kind of cleaning brushes used to clean theatre equipment in your Hospital Sterilisation and Decontamination Unit. Please could you send me a report, for the 2023/2024 financial year, including the below information.**

**1. NPC number/product code of each brush used**

A1 See below:

**Q2 Description of brush**

A2

76cm x 5cm brush end NYLON TWIST	UNIPLEX	FSLA37	TR150483-3 FBT0775
76x5mm NYLON TWIST	UNIPLEX	FSLA40	IRB300105 FBR05762
41cm x 12MM Brush end NYLON TWIST	UNIPLEX	MFLA08	ICB-012-6 FNB1264 24-1-050
QUIVER BRUSH Black large end	UNIPLEX		4039 FBT51330
ROBOTIC BRUSH Orange	UNIPLEX		SU-M450
Single end tooth	UNIPLEX	FSLA41	3181-1

brush black			FBON38197
Diathermy forcep brush blue	UNIPLEX		LT510C
Reamer brush White spiral	UNIPLEX		LT540
Dia nylon brush Eye Th kept in pack spare drawer	SIGH		SH-45-541-4
Single use brush white ring end	SYNTHES		ACB
2.5x25mmx46 FRAZIER SUCTION brush	UNIPLEX	FSLA33	24-1-025 FBN0225 ICB-005-06
5FR BARON SUCTION brush	UNIPLEX		SU-1215
2mmx75mmx610mm Brush	UNIPLEX	FSLA36	FBT0275 TR360231

Endoscopy Cleaning Brushes 1.2-1.5mm / Pentax uk Ltd /PBC-1215A / FBE14288  
 Pull through Brush / Advanced medical systems / mfbao1 / 71-00-330  
 Brush Tracheal Tube Magill 10inches / CCmed / FBFDS7 /900-239-025  
 (Anspach Brushes )Attachment cleaning Brushes - /Depuy Synthes /REF ABC / Lot  
 147L164  
 Key Surgical Toothbrush style cleaning brushes / Key surgical Steris / N2209

**Q3 Quantity of each brush used**

A3 Information not held

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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.

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Yours,



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