Our Ref: 508/2021

May 2021



Re: Your request made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to request the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Please find the relevant questions listed below.

I would be grateful if you could send me your responses at your earliest convenience within the statutory 20 working day period. If anything is unclear please do let me know and I will try to clarify.

Kind Regards Carmen Wilson

- 1. How many of the following machines do you operate in your Trust?
- a) MRI machines 3
- b) CT machines 4
- 2. What year were these machines installed, what is the model, and who is the Original Equipment Manufacturer?

OEM Model Year Installed

Scanner 1 Siemens Avanto 2009

Scanner 2 Siemens Aera 2011

Scanner 3 Siemens Sola 2021

Scanner 4 Siemens Definition AS 2012

Scanner 5 Siemens Definition Edge 2020

Scanner 6 Siemens Definition Edge 2021

Scanner 7 Siemens Go.All 2020

[add more if required]

- 3. Have you used a mobile MRI or CT service in the last 12 months? Approximately how many scans were undertaken on a mobile scanner in the last 12 months, for both CT and MRI scans? **CT=0**, **MRI=2858**
- 4. Is in-house capacity for MRI and CT scans, in the Trust near or fully utilised? Fully
- 5. Are you currently in discussions or planning to explore the development of a Community Diagnostic Hub (https://www.england.nhs.uk/2020/10/nhs-to-introduce-one-stop-shops-in-the-community-for-life-saving-checks/) to serve future diagnostic demands for your Trust? **No known**
- 6. If the answer to question 5 is yes:
- a. Are you exploring this with other local NHS Trusts, and if so, which ones?
- b. Is your relevant ICS involved, and what role is it playing?
- c. Do you know where a CDH would be located (e.g. on a current NHS site, in a new location)?