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 Sophie Roper

1. How many endoscopy procedure rooms do you have in your Trust? Are patients able to be separated by gender from admission through to recovery or do you use single sex lists?

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1 site single sex

Number of endoscopy procedure rooms Are patients able to be separated by gender (e.g. gender specific pre-assessment and recovery rooms)? (Y/N) Do you use single sex lists? (Y/N)

2. Approximately, how old is your endoscopy decontamination suite/ when was it last refurbished? Will the Trust need to procure new scopes in the next 12 months?

Within past 2 years new decontamination - no refurb planned

Yes, only use Fujinon due to compatibility across site

Approximate age of endoscopy decontamination suite / time since last refurbishment Will the Trust need to procure new scopes in the next 12 months? (Y/N)

3. Have you used a mobile endoscopy service in the last 12 months? Approximately how many endoscopy procedures were undertaken in a mobile unit over the last 12 months?

No

Mobile endoscopy service used in last 12 months? (Y/N) Approximate # procedures undertaken in a mobile endoscopy unit in the last 12 months

4. Is in-house endoscopy capacity in the Trust near or fully utilised?

NO

In-house endoscopy capacity fully utilised? (Y/N)