



Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Request Ref: NGFOI 16/17: 291

Thank you for your request for information received at Northampton General Hospital NHS Trust (NGH) on 02/09/16.

I am pleased that we are now able to provide you with a response to your request as shown below.

You requested:

Over £25,000 expenditure on existing contracts.

Could you please provide me with a list of your existing contracts and services, particularly looking at your IT equipment and IT infrastructure spend. Could you please confirm how much you are paying, whom you are paying and when these contracts terminate please?

Can you also confirm who you are using for telephony for the whole estate and confirm when this will be going to tender as per the recent IT strategy which states the hospital will be reviewing VOIP options in the future.

Response from Northampton General Hospital NHS Trust (NGH):

Please find below the Trusts current live contracts that have been tendered within the last 24 months against ICT, including any expenditure over £25k within ICT for maintenance type contracts (infrastructure spend).

Kindly note that exact value of the contracts is held exempt under Section 43 of the Freedom of Information Act

Exemption Description	Reason / Explanation
Section 43(2) Commercial Interests	To provide the values as requested, would be disclosing information which is commercially sensitive and could prejudice the commercial interests of our suppliers. This information is therefore held exempt under section 43 of the FOI Act. In relation to this exemption (known as a 'Prejudice' based exemption), as required, we have applied the Public Interest Test and have found that the public interest in withholding the information is greater than the public interest in disclosing the information.

IT Maintenance Contracts (OVER £25K)

<u>Details</u>	
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ANS Standard NetApp Support	
Standard Infrastructure Network Support / 5 years / 24x7x4 onsite	
iPass Mobility Platform - Open Mobility - Software Box	
IT Switches - Softcat	
Upgrade to BI Suite (Business Objects) - CACI	
<u>IT Live - Awarded Tenders</u>	
PAS - EMIS	Healthcare Clinical Information Systems - 5 + 5 YEAR Contract
MATERNITY IT SYSTEM SOFTWARE - SYSTEM C	One off purchase
PATIENT & NON-PATIENT REMINDER SYSTEM - ERS	Contract renewed via the SBS Framework, for 5 years.
PRINT DOCUMENT MANAGEMENT SOLUTION & FUNCTIONAL EQUIPMENT - RICOH	CBC Y11171 Additional devices outside of Co.Terminus + Equitrac - 12 MONTHS
CARDIOLOGY SYSTEM - XCELERA	One off purchase with 5 year support & maintenance via NHSSC Framework
CABLING SERVICES & RELATED PERIPHERAL EQUIPMENT - ASHBYS	Currently out to tender, award by early November.
BACKUP & RESTORE SOLUTION - ANS	One off purchase IN 2012, upgrade carried out in 2015 via CCS Framework.
ALLOCATE CO.TERMINUS AGREEMENT	Co alignment of Healthroster, E-Rota, Job Planning and Healthassure systems Trustwide using GPS Framework
IT OPERATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE ENHANCEMENTS - TELEOLOGIC	5 year contract OJEU Ref: 2013/S 037-058319
VITALPAC - SYSTEM C	GPS Framework, 5 year fixed, 2 year option to extend
VNA SYSTEM	Supplier Synapps via NHSSC Framework - URN MDC1118 P&R 14
DATA WAREHOUSE - CACI	CCS Contract RM1042 - 5 + 5 YEARS

With regard to telephony, this service is managed in house. We are part way through our VOIP implementation which is being managed by an in house local project team.