



Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Request Ref: NGFOI 16/17: 02

Response Letter

Thank you for your request for information received at Northampton General Hospital NHS Trust (NGH) on 01/04/16.

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

Response from Northampton General Hospital NHS Trust (NGH):

- Who is the Trust's current supplier for their Electronic Patient Record? –
Various – “Best of Breed” strategy
- What is the contract start and end date for the Electronic Patient Record?
Various – “Best of Breed” strategy
- Who is the Trust's current supplier for your Patient Administration System? –
CSC
- What is the contract start and end date for the Patient Administration System? –
NPfIT The NHS National Programme for Information Technology contract – expires end June 2016. Then SBS contract for 1 year until June 2017. At preferred bidder stage of new PAS, awaiting TDA approval of business case.
- When are you due to start looking to re-procure your clinical systems? –
see above
- Who is the Trust's current Chief Clinical Information Officer? –
The Trust does not have a CCIO
- Which member of the board is responsible for IT? –
The Chief Operating Officer
- As part of planning for the replacement of PAS how much has your organisation assigned a specifically for data migration to offset the risks to revenue generation post go-live of the new system? –
This is included in the supplier implementation cost
- How many FTEs does the Trust employ to clean data and handle data quality problems?

I can confirm on behalf of the Trust and in accordance with S.1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) that we do not hold the information you have requested in a centralised system.

The Trust cannot provide a specific figure as DQ issues/problems are dealt with by all Departments throughout the Trust on an ongoing basis.

- Does the Trust use any external organisation to provide tools and /or services for data quality improvements?

No

- What is the estimated cost of cleaning data for statutory reporting?

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- What is the estimated cost of cleaning data for clinical risk avoidance?

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- Who is responsible within your organisation for identifying the technical requirements for systems that support sustainability plans as described in the Five Year Forward View?

Deputy Director of ICT