



**Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

**Request Ref: NGFOI 16/17: 15**

**Response Letter**

Thank you for your request for information received at Northampton General Hospital NHS Trust (NGH) on 07/04/16.

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

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**Response from Northampton General Hospital NHS Trust (NGH):**

- 1. Do you currently have an Electronic Patient Record system(s) in place?**  
**Various – “Best of Breed” strategy**
- 2. Can you provide a name for the system(s)?**  
**Various – “Best of Breed” strategy**
- 3. How much are you currently spending on this system annually for licensing and support fees?**

<b>Exemption Description</b>	<b>Reason / Explanation</b>
Section 43(2) Commercial Interests	To provide the information 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.

- 4. What is the date of contract expiry for the system(s)?**  
**Various – “Best of Breed” strategy**
- 5. How many users?**  
**4000**
- 6. How is your system hosted?**  
**Onsite data centre**

7. **Who is responsible for your local implementation of the objectives set out by the NHS in the Five Year Forward View?**

**Chief Operating Officer**