

Trust Headquarters  
Russell's Hall Hospital  
Dudley  
West Midlands  
DY1 2HQ

**Ref:** FOI-000285

**Date:** 23/8/23

**Address / Email:**

Dear

**Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

Thank you for requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

**Request**

- What are you currently using to manage patient flow at the Trust (manage the patient journey from entry to discharge)
- What is the contract end date of the above system?
- What was the contract value for the above system?
- Are you planning on going out to tender, or review alternative systems within the next 12 months?
  
- Are you currently using an electronic bed management system at the Trust?
- What is the contract end date of the above system?
- What was the contract value for the above system?
- Are you planning on going out to tender, or review alternative systems within the next 12 months?
  
- Do you currently have, or are you feeding into a CDR (Central Data Repository) or Shared Care Record?
- If so, what is it called?
- If no, are you planning to in the next 12 months?

**Response**

The Trust has received a significant number of requests about IT Systems and we therefore ask in the first instance, you check out our disclosure log of previous FOI requests for the information you have requested. Please click [here](#) to access our disclosure log on our website and use the search box to enter key words such as 'IT Systems'. The Trust therefore considers the information you have requested is reasonably accessible by other means as per section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act. If, after looking at previous responses you feel these do not answer your request, could you please refine your request and advise what other information you require which you have not been able to locate.

Please note, when searching for a response by word on the disclosure log all FOI requests that were logged from 1/4/23 will show on the first page onwards and any FOI requests that were logged up until 31/3/23 will be shown on the last pages of the disclosure log. This is due to a new database and numbering system being deployed.

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If you are dissatisfied with our response, you have the right to appeal in line with guidance from the Information Commissioner. In the first instance you may contact the Information Governance Manager of the Trust.

Information Governance Manager  
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Should you disagree with the contents of our response to your appeal, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioners Office at.

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Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
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SK9 5AF  
Tel: 0303 123 1113  
[www.ico.org.uk](http://www.ico.org.uk)

If you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

**Freedom of Information Team**  
**The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust**