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**Date:** 4/9/23

**Address / Email:**

Dear

**Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

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

Request

Could you please provide me with some information on what Respiratory Diagnostic Equipment (PFT, CPET, Spirometers, FeNo and so on) are currently in use across all the Hospitals and clinics within your NHS Trust.

I am particularly interested in the equipment in the following departments or similar departments:

- Cardio Respiratory
- Pulmonary Function
- Cystic Fibrosis
- Outpatients
- Paediatrics
- Chest Clinic
- Respiratory
- Occupational Health
- Primary Care
- Preoperative Assessment
- Anaesthetics

I would like to know the following please:

1. The number of current devices in use
2. Manufacturer and type of device
3. Which hospitals and departments are they in
4. Date of installation
5. Which disposable bacterial/viral filter is being used for lung function testing.

Response

The Trust has recently received a similar request, please go to the Freedom of Information request disclosure log on the Trust website [Disclosure log - The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust \(dgft.nhs.uk\)](https://www.dgft.nhs.uk/disclosure-log) and in the search box type 000182.

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.

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.

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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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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**