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**Address / Email:**

Dear

**Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

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

**Request**

I would like to make a freedom of information request to access your NHS trust's guideline that covers the screening and management of diabetes in pregnancy or gestational diabetes.

I am interested to know in detail how your trust screens pregnant women who have a history of gestational diabetes in a previous pregnancy for gestational diabetes in their subsequent pregnancy. This would include multiple details that would be best covered by receiving the full guideline, including i) method(s) of screening for gestational diabetes in those with previous gestational diabetes (such as early capillary blood glucose monitoring, glucose tolerance tests, random blood glucose, HbA1c etc.) ii) diagnostic thresholds for method of screening iii) gestation that screening method occurs and whether it is repeated or continued throughout the pregnancy iv) whether any treatment or specific advice is given at the start of pregnancy to mothers with a history of previous gestational diabetes prior to the results of any screening test.

**Response**

Please see attached guideline. Links to the Trust's intranet are not accessible outside of Trust devices.

The guideline is due for review in July 2025 when there will be updates to the changes to the management of diabetes in pregnancy.

For a copy of the guideline please contact [dgft.foi@nhs.net](mailto:dgft.foi@nhs.net) quoting reference number FOI-052025-0001630

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

Yours sincerely

**Freedom of Information Team**  
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