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## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST 013428 - Hospital systems

1. What patient administration systems do you use to book patient appointments/attendances for outpatient, inpatients and diagnostics?

2. Do you have plans to replace any of your clinical systems within the next 2 years? If so, which ones.

3. What integration software is in place to allow third party applications to interact with trust patient administrations systems/software? What technologies do you support for data exchange?

4. Do you use a data warehouse for your activity informatics? If so how often is it uploaded/refreshed?

Due to the increase in the NHS being targeted by cyber criminals the Trust is using Exemption 43 (2) applied given the organisation considers this level of information commercially sensitive from an information security perspective.

The public interest test set out in section 2(2)(b) supports application of exemption 43 (2) given there is greater public interest in maintaining the exemption 43 (2) outweighing the public interest in disclosure in order to protect public and public services against cyber security threats.