

Date: 03/08/2016

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST FOI/012913 – Skin preparation products

A 2% chlorhexidine in 70% IPA is currently supplied through NHS Supply Chain as a biocide.

Please would you indicate the exact number of bottles of the following products that your hospital trust ordered in the last 12 months:

2% chlorhexidine in 70% IPA (Ecolab) in 500ml bulk bottles with the manufacturer product code 3059670 and EAN code 4028163058733, and catalogue code MRB 613

EClassProduct descriptionCatalogue sectionBrandMPCUOISupplied qtyDECSkin disinfectant (BIOCIDE) Chlorhexidine 2% in 70% ipa screw top 500ml (for general skin disinfection as directed by the manufacturer) Advanced infection control solutionsEcolab3059670Each of 13420

2% chlorhexidine in 70% IPA (Ecolab) in 200ml bottles with the manufacturer product code 3059650, the EAN code 4028163058757 and catalogue code MRB 620

Report for financial period 1 (APR) to week ending 31/03/2016 (YTD) financial year 2016DOH CodeDistrict

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Please would you answer the following questions:

•Has the hospital trust considered either or both MHRA guidances? - Yes

•At which sub-committee of the board was this MHRA guidance considered? - Microbiology and Infection Control MDT meeting

•Please send through agenda, minutes or paperwork from that committee which demonstrates that the guidance was on the agenda, was presented and discussed at the meeting and a decision to follow or not-follow the guidance was made and documented - No minutes taken