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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST 013399 – Ophthalmology

Information Request Reply Form Relating to Ophthalmology Procedures

NHS TRUST	NHS Hospital	Form Completed by (Name and Job Title):	Contact Details	Date Form Completed
The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust	Russells Hall Hospital	James Perks – Divisional Finance Manager	01384 456111	20/4/17

1. Volume of Cataract procedures & Intra Ocular Lenses Annual Spend

Please specify the Cataract volume and Intra Ocular Lens spend in the following years:

Year	Cataract Volumes	IOL £ Value ex VAT
2014/2015	1931	*
2015/2016	1658	*
2016/2017	1322 (Provisional)	*

*Supplying £ Value would disclose commercially sensitive pricing detail due to relationship between Cataract volume and £ Value therefore the Trust wishes to use Fol exemption 43 (2) 'Commercial Interests' as detailed below.

2. Current Intra Ocular Lens Supplier

Please specify the Trust's current supplier of Intra Ocular Lenses:

Current Supplier	Alcon
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Please tick the response box to indicate if supply is direct from current supplier or via an agency or purchasing group/hub:

Supply via:	Please tick:
Direct supply	X
Agency*	
Purchasing Hub*	

* If supply is via an agency of purchasing group/hub, please provide the name:

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3. Most commonly used Mono-Focal Intra Ocular Lens in 2016/2017

Please specify supplier name, model and price per lens for the most commonly used Mono- Focal Intra Ocular Lens, in 2016/2017:

Supplier Name	Alcon
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Supplier Model	AcrySof IQ Natural SN60WF
Price per lens (ex VAT)	Commercially Sensitive - FoI exemption 43 (2) 'Commercial Interests' as detailed below

4. Most Recent Contract Award

Please specify when the most recent contract was awarded for supply of Intra Ocular Lenses and provide the length of the contract:

Date of Award	February 2017
Contract Length	3 Years

5. Date of next planned Tender / Contract Award

Please provide the expected commencement date of the next planned Tender for the supply of Intra Ocular Lenses. Please also provide the expected date of the Contract Award.

Date of next planned Tender for IOL supply	Est. Late 2019
Date of next Contract Award for IOL supply	Est. February 2020

6. Phaco Emulsification Equipment

Please provide details of the Phaco Emulsification Equipment installed:

Installed Phaco Machines	Quantity	Estimated date of renewal
Stelleris	1	Replacement Equipment Currently on Trial

7. Volume of Glaucoma Surgeries and Annual Spend

Year	Trabeculectomy Volumes	
2014/2015	21	*
2015/2016	33	*
2016/2017	47	*

Year	Trabeculectomy with an implant	£ Value ex VAT of tubes
2014/2015	<10	*
2015/2016	<10	*
2016/2017	<10	*

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8. Current Glaucoma Stent of Implant Supplier

Please specify the Trust's current supplier of Intra Ocular Lenses:

Current Supplier	Spectrum
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9. Further information

If there is any further information you can provide, or if you have any comments you wish to make, please do so below:

Additional Information	
Comments	<p>Note for commercially sensitive matters - Fol exemption 43 (2) 'Commercial Interests' :</p> <p>'The level of competition currently experienced within the NHS is such that the release of detailed information specifically relating to service level reporting detailing capacity and funding would have a prejudicial impact on the Trust resulting in it being less competitive. Therefore the Trust wishes to use Freedom of Information exemption section 43 (2) Commercial Interests (where Information is exempt information if its disclosure under this Act would, or would be likely to, prejudice the commercial interests of any person (including the public authority holding it).</p> <p>For more information about the Trust's Ophthalmology service please click on the following Trust website link: http://dudleygroup.nhs.uk/services-and-wards/ophthalmology '</p>