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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST 014876 – Waste

We would like to know:

1. Who/What company currently handling the current waste contract (if there is one)
2. What the value of the contract is and the amount of waste & services that are covered by the contract. If the deal is part of a PFI scheme, please outlay this agreement and break down to how it relates to the current waste activities (please include the amount of waste, costs and contract period)
3. All responsibilities of the company who takes the waste, for example: providing operatives on site, providing bins, providing extra services alongside waste disposal & collection.
4. The start and end date of the contract & any extensions that could be applied
5. Where the waste is disposed
6. Who are the people involved in appointing/renewing the contract & their contact details
7. What sites you have covered by this agreement
8. What are the trust's responsibilities under this contract/agreement

Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust operates a Private Finance Initiative (PFI) Contract. A PFI is a type of public private partnership (PPP) used to fund major capital investments. The hospital buildings are not owned by the Trust but by Summit Healthcare (Dudley) Ltd who the Trust has the PFI contract with. The contract allows the Trust to use the buildings to provide its clinical services.

All FM services are provided by our PFI Partner, Summit Healthcare. The Trust's contract with our PFI expires after 17th May 2041. The project term is for 40 years. The full range of services is paid by means of a single Unitary Payment which does not identify individual cost items.

The Trust FM services include waste management and disposal is provided as part of a comprehensive PFI contract. The PFI contract requires our PFI partner to comply with all legislation and Health Technical memorandum