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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST 015270 – IT systems

We are currently doing some research and would greatly appreciate it if you could help us with the following questions:

1. Does your main hospital Allscripts EPR system have the HL7 FHIR API's enabled? (Yes/No)
2. If no, do you have plans to enable this at present?
3. What is the specific product name of the EPR product you currently use for your Oncology department (e.g. ARIA, FLATIRON etc.)?
4. Is your Oncology EPR HL7 FHIR enabled? (Yes/No) 5. If no, can it be HL7 FHIR enabled? (Yes/No) 6. If no, why can it not be HL7 FHIR enabled? (e.g. technology is not capable, cost related reasons etc.)

It is imperative that the Trust is cyber resilient.

Cyber-attacks against infrastructure have the potential to inflict significant, real-life disruption and prevent access to

critical services that are vital to the functioning of Trust systems, information security and patient health.

Therefore we are holding this information under section 31 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000:

Information ... is exempt information if its disclosure under this Act would, or would be likely to, prejudice – (a) the prevention or detection of crime,

Section 31 is a prejudice based exemption and is subject to the public interest test. This means that before the information can be withheld, the public interest in preventing that prejudice must outweigh the public interest in disclosure. The Trust has considered the public interest test. The public interest in ensuring the safety and security of Trust systems is greater than the public interest in providing this information