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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST FOI/016418 – cardiac devices

1. How many Cardiac Device implant procedures did your trust perform over the last 12 months (Aug 21-Aug 22)
 - A total of 492 implant procedures (242 Pacemakers, 123 ILRs, 127 ICDs)
2. How many Remote Cardiac Device Monitoring system due you use across the trust - 5
3. How many Remote Cardiac device follow-ups were performed in your trust over the last 12 months (Aug 21-Aug22) 38 virtual follow ups. Figures are from August 21 to June 22
4. Do you perform In-office clinics at multiple locations - No, only one site
5. How many In-office Cardiac Device follow-up clinics do you perform per week across all trust sites
 - Monday am, Tuesday am & pm, Wednesday am & pm, Friday am
6. How long are your appointment slots for In-Office cardiac device follow-up (mins) - Mainly 15 minute slots however occasionally we do book 30 minute slots
7. How do you currently record and report Implantable Cardiac Device Follow-Up information
 - Each patient has their own device folder which has follow-up sheets which are completed. Additionally, a device slip gets put into the patient's main hospital notes.
8. Do you have an Electronic Database system for storing Cardiac Device data - No
9. If yes to Q8, is the system currently in use, specifically designed for use with Cardiac Implantable Devices
 - N/A
10. How many Physiologists do you have actively involved in Cardiac Device Follow-up
 - A total of 8 cardiac physiologists (5.61 wte). However, these staff rotate between implant & angio sessions. In any one clinic we have 2 staff per clinic
11. If you do not currently use an Electronic Cardiac Devices Database system is this something that the trust would be interested in purchasing in the future.
 - There are no plans at the moment.