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**Address / Email:**

Dear

**Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

Thank you for requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

**Request**

Please can I request, in line with the Freedom of Information Act, the following:

Your organisations current "Pharmacy strategy" document -

This may also be titled Medicines Management Strategy, Pharmacy, Prescribing and medicines strategy or similar and should identify your organisations strategic plans to develop and evolve your hospital pharmacy to ensure safe and effective use of medicines.

In England this may be incorporated within an ICS wide strategy or in Scotland/Wales it may be incorporated into a wider Health Board strategy, and, if so, please can you identify that this is the case and either share this document or (in England) identify which organisation "owns" it to allow a request to be made to that organisation.

**Response**

Please visit, the below site to view the 'Pharmacy Medicines Optimisation Strategy'.

[Pharmacy Service provides pharmaceutical services for patients \(dgftpec.co.uk\)](https://dgftpec.co.uk)

If you are dissatisfied with our response, you have the right to appeal in line with guidance from the Information Commissioner. In the first instance you may contact the Information Governance Manager of the Trust.

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Should you disagree with the contents of our response to your appeal, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioners Office at.

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If you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

**Freedom of Information Team**  
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