



Ref: FOIA Reference 2023/24-350

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Email foi@uhnm.nhs.uk

Dear

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your email dated 1st September 2023 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding MIS system

As of 1st November 2014 University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust (UHNM) manages two hospital sites – Royal Stoke University Hospital, and County Hospital (Stafford). Therefore the response below is for the two sites combined from that date where appropriate.

Q1 I am emailing under the Freedom of Information Act to request information regarding the use of Maternity Information Systems (MIS) within your Trust's maternity units. For each maternity unit (midwife-led units) as part of your Trust, can you please provide:

1. The name of the maternity unit

A1 Refer to the attached spread sheet that you supplied.

Q2 The type of setting of the maternity unit [hospital or community]

A2 As answer 1

Q3 Does the maternity unit use a dedicated MIS or an EHR system with a maternity module or other (if other, please specify the solution used)?

A3 As answer 1

Q4 If a MIS solution is used, please answer the following questions relating to the contract:

a. Who is the current MIS provider?

b. When did the contract start (MM/YYYY)?

c. What is the tenure / length of the contract (in years)?

d. What is the overall contract value (split by installation and maintenance costs)

e. Which of the following functionalities has the maternity unit adopted?

o eReferrals

o Procedure booking

- o Personal health record
- o Offline maternity records
- o Care and birth plans
- o Automated Obstetrics VTE scoring
- o Integration with national Perinatal GROW system
- o Anaesthetic activity recording
- o Intrapartum (real-time data entry of labour and delivery information)
- o Neonatal systems
- o Cardio-Toco-Graphy (CTG)
- o Electronic document transfer
- o Reporting data

A4 As answer 1

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This letter confirms the completion of this request. A log of this request and a copy of this letter will be held by the Trust.

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If following review of the responses I can be of any further assistance please contact my secretary on 01782 671612.

Yours,

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