

**Freedom of Information Request**

**Ref: 21-316**

23 June 2021

By Email

Dear Sir/Madam

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Trust's response is as follows:

- We can confirm that we do hold the information you are requesting

**The questions pertain to devices connected to the Trust's IT network, including all electronic equipment connected to the network like medical devices, PCs, TVs, laptops, mobile phones etc.**

**1. Have all devices, including medical devices, on the Trust's network been identified?**

No

**2. Does the Trust have a real-time Risk Register of all assets connected to its network?**

No

**3. Does the Trust identify and monitor all medical devices being used for remote patient management?**

No

**4. Does the Trust comply with the following assessments or security standards:**

- Data Security and Protection Toolkit (DSPT)

<https://www.dsptoolkit.nhs.uk/OrganisationSearch/RA7>

- Cyber Essentials - Yes

- Cyber Essentials Plus - Yes

- The EU Security of Network & Information Systems (NIS) Directive

- ISO27001- No but we comply with it

**5. Have you had any data compromises due to previously unknown connected medical devices in the last 5 years? If so, how many?**

No

**6. What percentage of your medical device estate is currently running on**

**unsupported/end-of-life software?**

We do not hold this information

**7. Approximately what percentage of your medical device estate is segregated from the main network?**

We do not hold this information

**8. Does the Trust Board recognise the importance of IT device asset management and cyber security and allocate sufficient budgetary support?**

Yes

This concludes our response. We trust that you find this helpful, but please do not hesitate to contact us directly if we can be of any further assistance.

If, after that, you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to:

Director of Corporate Governance  
University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust  
Trust Headquarters  
Marlborough Street  
Bristol  
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Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF

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Yours sincerely

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