

Freedom of Information Request

Ref: 22-142

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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

• Name of Hospital

University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust

• What software is used to add information to electronic patient notes e.g. sunrise or POCcelerator?

Careflow EPR, Careflow Vitals, Careflow Connect, Kainos Evolve, Clinysis ICE

• Which point of care devices are connected to electronic patient notes?

Ipads/Ipods and Laptop PCs.

• How do the point of care devices enter data into the electronic patient notes?

The devices are used to access the software packages named above. These products each form part of the Trusts EPR offering.

o What software is required?

As above Careflow EPR, Careflow Vitals, Careflow Connect, Kainos Evolve, Clinysis ICE.

o Is data transmission through Wi-Fi, ethernet port or another means?

Wifi and ethernet

o Is the data stored on paper patient notes as well as electronically?

Yes, with some examples also being transmitted electronically to the Trusts EDMS (Electronic Document Management Solution) Evolve.

• Can a HL7 output from a point of care device wirelessly update patient electronic notes in your trust?

Careflow Connect is integrated to Careflow EPR using proprietary technology, which enables

the updating of some limited information within the Careflow EPR product.

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
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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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