

Freedom of Information Request

Ref: 24-371

30 April 2024

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

a. Which framework does the Trust use for the procurement of Insourced Clinical Services.

Following the implementation of the Provider Selection Regime (PSR) legislation on 1st Jan 2024, we no longer use Public Contracting Regulations (PCR) let frameworks for the provision of these services as we believe they now fall under PSR legislation. We therefore follow one of the 5 PSR routes to market depending on the service being procured.

**b. Who is responsible for the procurement of Insourced Clinical Services at the Trust.
i.e Name or Job Title within procurement.**

There is no one person responsible for these procurements. The commissioning team would be responsible for contracting the services, with procurement support provided by BWPC (Bristol and Weston Purchasing Consortium) from our two clinical categories (Patient Care and Invasive). The Category Manager of each of these categories would therefore be responsible for the procurements.

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:

Data Protection Officer
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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