

Freedom of Information Request

Ref: 25-197

24 March 2025

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

• What hospitals are a part of your Trust / Health Board?

University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust consists of:

Bristol Dental Hospital
Bristol Eye Hospital
Bristol Haematology and Oncology Centre
Bristol Heart Institute
Bristol Royal Hospital for Children
Bristol Royal Infirmary
South Bristol Community Hospital
St Michaels Hospital
Unity Sexual Health
Weston General Hospital

• Do any of these have Pathology Labs and if so which?

Yes, Bristol Royal Infirmary and Weston General Hospital.

• Which of the National Pathology Networks do you belong to?

South 2

• Do you partner with any other Labs to work collectively?

Yes

• What Laboratory Information Management systems (LIMS / LIS) do you use?

Clinsys Winpath Enterprises.

• Do you have a Single instance /Pathology Network Wide LIS / LIMS solution?

Network LIMS solution

• **When is the contract for your LIS / LIMS due to run out?**

April 2032

• **Do you have a Blood Transfusion Laboratory at any of your locations and if so which?**

Yes, Bristol Royal Infirmary and Weston General Hospital.

• **Do you have an Electronic Blood Tracking solution?**

Yes

• **Do you have a dedicated Transfusion Lab LIS / LIMS and if so which?**

No

• **Do you have anyone leading on Digital Transformation projects and if so who (if not able to state a name, what is their Role / Job title)?**

Digital Services Project Manager

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
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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