

Freedom of Information Request

Ref: 25-343

19 May 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

Does your trust use Elastomeric Infusion Devices? – Yes

If so, please can you answer the below questions:

Which departments use Elastomeric Infusion Devices?

i.e. Oncology, Haematology, Urology, ENT, Surgery, Orthopaedics, OPAT, Paediatrics, Virtual wards, Palliative Care, other

Oncology, Paediatrics, Pharmacy, Surgery

Which brand(s) of Elastomeric Infusion Devices do you use?

i.e. Baxter Intermate, Baxter Infusor, Vygon Accufuser, Adriamed Easyflow, Nipro Surefuser+, B. Braun Easypump II, Leventon Dosi-Fuser, other

Devices in use in Pharmacy Production:

Baxter Infusor SV2

Baxter Infusor LV2, LV5, LV10

Baxter intermate SV50/100/200, LV250 and Baxter infusor LV10

Dosi-Fuser

Nipro Surefuser + 250mL 5mL/hr

Does your trust purchase pre-filled Elastomeric Infusion Devices from commercial providers? - Yes

If yes,

How many do you buy pre-filled per year? – 2,254

Which drugs do you buy pre-filled?

Dinutuximab, Bupivacaine, Fluorouracil, Buffered Flucloxacillin, Buffered

Piperacillin/Tazobactam, Aciclovir, Ceftriaxone, Caspofungin.

Does your trust fill Elastomeric Infusion Devices in your pharmacy aseptic unit? - Yes

If yes,

How many do you fill in your pharmacy aseptic unit per year?

Which drugs do you fill in your pharmacy aseptic unit?

Fluorouracil

Trabectedin

Bleomycin

Does your trust fill Elastomeric Infusion Devices in patient's homes/outpatient clinic/community setting or similar environment? - No

If yes,

How many do you fill in patient's homes/outpatient clinic/community setting per year?

Which drugs do you fill in patient's homes/outpatient clinic/community setting?

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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