

Freedom of Information Request

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**Information Requested:**

We are contacting you with a Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOI) request in regards to ophthalmic surgery within your trust.

1. **Intraocular Lenses:**

- a. When is your current contract up for renewal?
- b. Who is your current provider?
- c. What is the value of your current contract?
- d. What is the cost of your most used IOL?
- e. Who is your current Toric IOL provider?
- f. Do you have a Toric pathway? yes/no
- g. What is the cost of your Toric IOLs?

2. **Cataract and VR Equipment:**

a.

	Phaco Machine	Phaco Packs	VR Machine	VR Packs
When does your current contract end?				
What is the contract length?				
How many machines do you have?				
Who is your current provider?				
What is the contract value?				
How many Phaco hand -pieces do you have?				

- b. What products are in your standard cataract Custom Packs?
- c. What products are in your standard VR Custom Packs?

3. **Areas of Treatment:**

a. How many procedures did you record for the following:

	Cataract/Phaco	VR Procedures	AMD (IVT injections)

2017-2018			
2018-2019			
2019-2020			

4. **Ophthalmology Laser Equipment:**

	Combined YAG/SLT	SLT	YAG	Laser Iridotomy	Photo-coagulation / Retinal	Other (Floater treatments etc)
How many lasers do you have and which model?						
When were these devices installed?						
How many laser procedures are performed annually?						
Are these lasers under a service contract? When does it run out?						

5. **Other:**

- a. Are you currently using an Argon laser?
- b. How many procedures a year do you perform with this?

6. **Ophthalmic Ultrasound:**

- a. Are these used for retinal – yes/no, anterior - yes/no, A-Scan – yes/no

7. **General Questions:**

- a. Are all ophthalmic diagnostic devices networked?
- b. How are images from each device stored (locally per device or centrally in a database/ PACS solution)?
- c. What software/ PACS (picture archiving and communication storage) are you using?
- d. Who is the lead contact within procurement that manages ophthalmology equipment (diagnostic)?

**8. Ophthalmology Diagnostic Equipment:**

	OCT	Ophthalmic Ultrasound	Slit Lamps	Paediatric Retinal Imaging	Corneal Tomography (eg Pentacam)
How many devices do you have and which model?					
When were these devices installed?					
When are these due to be replaced?					
Is there a replacement budget allocated?					
How many patients per year are imaged with this/ these device/s?					
Do you have a service contract? When does it expire?					

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**Response:**

Essex Partnership University NHS Foundation Trust is a Mental Health, Learning Disability and Community Services Trust and does not provide the above Services.

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