Information Requested:

1) How many Fax Machines are currently:
   a) owned and
   b) used by your Trust

   and

2) What operating system does your Trust currently use (Windows 8, etc.) for its
   Computers and Laptops?

The Trust believes that this information is publicly available on the Trust website
https://eput.nhs.uk/publication-category/2020/ and therefore we are applying a
Section 21 exemption of the Act (Information accessible to applicant by other
means).

To assist you in locating the information please review response EPUT.FOI.20.1675
(Computer Systems / Fax Machines) in the publication scheme under Freedom of
Information Requests..

Section 21: Information accessible to applicant by other means.
(1) Information which is reasonably accessible to the applicant otherwise than under section
   1 is exempt information.
(2) For the purposes of subsection (1)—
   (a) information may be reasonably accessible to the applicant even though it is accessible
       only on payment, and
   (b) information is to be taken to be reasonably accessible to the applicant if it is information
       which the public authority or any other person is obliged by or under any enactment to
       communicate (otherwise than by making the information available for inspection) to
       members of the public on request, whether free of charge or on payment.
(3) For the purposes of subsection (1), information which is held by a public authority and
    does not fall within subsection (2)(b) is not to be regarded as reasonably accessible to the
    applicant merely because the information is available from the public authority itself on
    request, unless the information is made available in accordance with the authority’s
    publication scheme and any payment required is specified in, or determined in accordance
    with the scheme.

Publication Scheme:

As part of the Freedom of Information Act all public organisations are required to proactively
publish certain classes of information on a Publication Scheme. A publication scheme is a
guide to the information that is held by the organisation. EPUT’s Publication Scheme is located on its Website at the following link https://eput.nhs.uk