

Freedom of Information Request

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Information Requested:

I would be most grateful if the information below could be provided in line with the NHS Freedom of Information policy:

1. Name of current Pathology courier / transport supplier for each hospital within the Trust (including supplier undertaking GP specimen collections if applicable)

[ERS Transition - trading as EMED Group Limited covers all EPUT sites for all courier services](#)

2. Pathology courier / transport contract commencement date (and tender reference number if known)

[01/03/2021](#)

3. Pathology courier / transport contract end date (please include any contract extension options)

[28/02/2025](#)

4. Expenditure on the contract(s) for financial years 2021/22 and 2022/23

[Please refer to question 8.](#)

5. Name of current Pharmacy courier / transport supplier for each hospital within the Trust (including any Pharmacy to home services)

[ERS Transition - trading as EMED Group Limited covers all EPUT sites for all courier services](#)

6. Pharmacy courier / transport contract commencement date (and tender reference number if known)

[01/03/2021](#)

7. Pharmacy courier / transport contract end date (please include any contract extension options)

[28/02/2025](#)

8. Expenditure on the contract(s) for financial years 2021/22 and 2022/23

Financial Year	£'000
2021.22	462
2022.23	549
Total	1,011

**Paid invoices only*

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