

Freedom of Information Request

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Information Requested:

1. Can you advise if the trust uses plain or printed cable ties for their waste?, if the answer is no, would the trust consider using them, if the price is right for the trust?, also we would like to let the trust know we currently supply around 65% of the NHS, and within the next 18 months the cable ties will be fully biodegradable from SPK promotions, but currently we only use and supply nylon PA66, would this be of interest?
[The Trust uses printed cable ties and we would be interested in the biodegradable option.](#)
2. Can you advise the size of cable tie, the colour, and quantity per annum and print required?
[Yellow and black](#)
[Printed with Trust name and numerical tracking code](#)
[Cable tie size 300mm length to secure standard waste sacks up to 90L](#)
[45000 per annum purchased.](#)
3. Can you advise if you are currently under contract if so when is the end date?
[Not under contract](#)
4. Can you advise the person or departments contact details, who deals with these and orders them?
[Facilities Admin Team Pride House](#)
[Telephone Number: 01268 407758](#)
5. Can you advise the price per thousand of these which the trust would like to pay to keep their consumable prices down, not what they pay already?
[The Trust generally accepts the best prices available without compromise to quality.](#)
6. Would the trust like to see samples from SPK promotions? Free of charge, if yes please advise a contact dept or person and a full postal address.
[David Driver Estates Facilities Department](#)
[The Laurels](#)
[St Margaret's Hospital](#)
[The Plain](#)
[Epping](#)
[Essex](#)
[CM166TN](#)

7. Can we advise the trust that we currently can provide as many prints as possible(maybe for wards and departments to have their own ties)instead of just 1 generic print (ie the trust name), and we have the facility and large storage to print ahead and store until delivery , so no lead times , is this of interest?

Yes

8. Can we advise the trust we can supply references if needed from the many trusts we already supply, is this of interest?

Yes

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