Freedom of Information Request

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Information Requested:

Please can you answer the following questions regarding the sharing of test results with patients?

1. Does your trust share test results digitally with patients?

We do not currently have the live capability to share results with patients digitally, however we expect to launch Patients Know Best (PKB) in the next 12 months.

2. What system do patients use to access their test results digitally? (E.g. PKB, EPIC my chart, other - please state)

N/A

3. Please list which hospital departments are sharing tests results digitally?

N/A

4. Which results (if any) are not automatically shared digitally with patients?

N/A

5. Do you delay sharing digital test results? Please state how long this delay is (7 days, 14 days, 21 days, 28 days, or longer).

N/A

6. If you are not currently sharing test results digitally please state when you plan to start sharing?

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