

Freedom of Information Request

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Information Requested:

I would like to make a Freedom of Information Request as Follows A number of IV drugs are reconstituted or prepared before administration Pharmacy aseptic services.

- 1. If your Trust procures all or some of their aseptic pharmaceutical services from licenced compounders both NHS and Private.
- 2. If so, can you list the Providers your Trust Currently uses?
- 3. Can you indicate if your Trust has a preferred or preferred provider if so please list them.
- 4. Does your Trust have any documentation that falls within the Scope of a competent FOI request relating to how you choose compounders if so, can I have copies. Please feel free to redact as necessary.

Essex Partnership University Trust does not provide pharmaceutical aseptic services. IV drugs are generally prepared on the ward prior to administration where this is needed.

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