

## Freedom of Information Request

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### Information Requested:

1. Have cameras or surveillance equipments been installed in patients' bedrooms in the hospital(s)?

[The Trust does not have these items installed in patients' bedrooms](#)

If the response to the aforementioned question is affirmative,

2. Please specify the hospital(s) which have the monitoring system and cameras in patients' bedrooms.

[N/A](#)

3. What is the duration for which the footage captured by the bedroom cameras is stored? At what point is the footage scheduled for deletion?

[N/A](#)

4. Has there been any occurrence of unauthorised access to or release of camera footage? Or has there been any accidental leakage?

[N/A](#)

5. Have patients formally requested the deletion of camera footage relating to them? If so, have their requests been acted upon?

[N/A](#)

6. Does the camera footage encompass the recording of all potential activities conducted by patients in hospital bedrooms, including but not limited to intimate or genital exercise or automanipulation?

[N/A](#)

7. What measures have been implemented to protect the privacy and dignity of patients, and to prevent any possible leakage of recorded footage?

[N/A](#)

8. Do you have a plan to remove cameras from patients' bedrooms?

[N/A](#)

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