

Freedom of Information Request

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Information Requested:

In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act, please can you provide me with the following information -?

1. What are you currently using to manage patient flow at the Trust (manage the patient journey from entry to discharge)
Surge Management and Resilience Toolset (SMART)
2. What is the contract end date of the above system?
31 March 2024
3. What was the contract value for the above system?
The Trust believes that this information is of commercial interest and may prejudice either the supplier or the Trust. The Trust is therefore applying Section 43 of the Act (Commercial Interests):
4. Are you planning on going out to tender, or review alternative systems within the next 12 months?
No
5. Are you currently using an electronic bed management system at the Trust?
No – in house solution
6. What is the contract end date of the above system?
N/A
7. What was the contract value for the above system?
N/A
8. Are you planning on going out to tender, or review alternative systems within the next 12 months?
N/A
9. Do you currently have, or are you feeding into a CDR (Central Data Repository) or Shared Care Record?
Yes, Shared Care Record
10. If so, what is it called?
Essex Shared Care Record
11. If no, are you planning to in the next 12 months?
N/A

Section 43 (Commercial Interests):

- (1) Information is exempt information if it constitutes a trade secret
 - (2) Information is exempt information if its disclosure under this Act would, or would be likely to; prejudice the commercial interests of any person (including the public authority holding it)
 - (3) The duty to confirm or deny does not arise if, or to the extent that, compliance with section 1(1)(a) would, or would be likely to, prejudice the interests mentioned in subsection (2)
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