

INFORMATION REQUEST FOI2022/400

20 December 2022

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request. I have considered your request and have set out the Trust's response below:

Please enter 'No System Installed' or 'No Department' under supplier name if your trust does not use the system or have the department:

System type – Outpatient e-prescribing - No Department

Supplier name -

System name -

Date installed -

Contract expiration -

Is this contract annually renewed? - Yes/No

Do you currently have plans to replace this system? - Yes/No

Procurement framework -

Other systems it integrates with? –

Total value of contract (£) –

Notes - e.g. we are currently out to tender

System name - Inpatient e-prescribing

Supplier name – Bluewire technologies (primary contract holder with WVT – reseller for Better meds)

System name – Better meds (Marand) and EPRO (Bluewire)

Date installed – Contract (Dec 2019), installation (March 2020), pilot (October 2020), rollout completed (August 2021)

Contract expiration – Dec 2024

Is this contract annually renewed? - No

Do you currently have plans to replace this system? - No

Procurement framework – Specialist Computer Centres Ltd

Other systems it integrates with? – Maxims EPR, Docman, First Databank, Symphony

Total value of contract (£) – 880,135

Notes - e.g. we are currently out to tender – currently being reviewed for early renewal

System type – Order Communications

Supplier name - IMS Maxims

System name – IMS Maxims

Date installed – Not held

Contract expiration – August 2022

Is this contract annually renewed? - No

Do you currently have plans to replace this system? - No

Procurement framework - SBS

Other systems it integrates with? – Most clinical systems. It holds our MPI.

Total value of contract (£) – It is part of our overall EPR system so individual costs for order comms are not held

Notes - e.g. we are currently out to tender - We are in the process of renewing with the same supplier.

System type – Pharmacy

Supplier name - EMIS Health Pharmacy

System name – EMIS Health Pharmacy

Date installed – 02/07/2007

Contract expiration - Rolling

Is this contract annually renewed? - Yes

Do you currently have plans to replace this system? - No

Procurement framework – Not held

Other systems it integrates with? – EDI Tecsol PowerGate

Total value of contract (£) – Not held (mixed with other contracts)

Notes - e.g. we are currently out to tender

System type – Critical Care - No System Installed

Supplier name -

System name -

Date installed -

Contract expiration -

Is this contract annually renewed? - Yes/No

Do you currently have plans to replace this system? - Yes/No

Procurement framework -

Other systems it integrates with? –

Total value of contract (£) –

Notes - e.g. we are currently out to tender

System definitions:

Outpatient e-prescribing - Advanced e-prescribing in use across wards for outpatient care, incorporating specialist prescribing and (ideally) clinical decision support, integrated as part of end-to-end medicines management. This possibly offers the single biggest opportunity for improving patient safety through digitalisation.

Inpatient e-prescribing - Advanced e-prescribing in use across wards for inpatient care, incorporating specialist prescribing and (ideally) clinical decision support, integrated as part of end-to-end medicines management. This possibly offers the single biggest opportunity for improving patient safety through digitalisation.

Order Communications - Electronic ordering communications systems (OCS) are computer applications used to enter diagnostic and therapeutic patient care orders, for example laboratory test requests or prescriptions, and to view test results. The primary aim of the system is to remove most of the current paper-based process for requesting laboratory investigations and for receiving results.

Pharmacy - Pharmacy orders and stock control is managed electronically

Critical care - A critical care information system for Intensive Care Units and high acuity care that enables clinicians to manage critical workflow and care plans for patients.



Yours sincerely,
Freedom of Information Coordinator

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