

Freedom of Information Act Request

Under the Freedom of Information Act, I would like to request the following information:

I would like to request some information on the smoke evacuation pencils used in operating theatres within Doncaster and Bassetlaw Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust please.

Specifically:

Name of Hospital – Doncaster & Bassetlaw NHS Foundation Trust

Manufacturer and model of smoke evacuation pencil(s) currently in use – Fannin CareEvac

Total number of smoke evacuation pencils used per annum - 6147

Length of supplier contract (if applicable) – For the free of charge Machines as part of consignment we must purchase 18000 pencils over three years. Included in the NPM deal via NHSSC to run until 31/08/2026

Are these smoke evacuation pencils procured through the NHS Supply Chain framework or are they ordered directly from the supplier? Procured via NHSSC

If you are not satisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to request an internal review. Requests for an internal review should be submitted within 40 working days from the date of this response, and should be addressed to d.wraith@nhs.net.

If you remain dissatisfied after the internal review, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO). The ICO can be contacted at:

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