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Dear

**INFORMATION REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000**

We are now pleased to respond to your request for information under the FOI Act.

1) *What best describes your organisation? Please place an X next to the appropriate answer.*

Acute District General Hospital X  
Acute Tertiary centre  
Specialist tertiary centre  
Private hospital

2) *Do you submit Sepsis CQUIN data? Yes*

3) a) Are you using NEWS2 in your organisation? *Yes since 17<sup>th</sup> Dec 2018*

b) If not, are you in the process of transitioning to NEWS2? N/A

4) *What sepsis screening prompt is used? Please place an X next to all that apply.*

Suspicion of Infection + NEWS2 5/or clinical concern X  
Suspicion of Infection +  
NEWS2

NEWS  
MEWS or equivalent  
SIRS  
Health care professional concern  
Clinical or carer concern

5) *What treatment prompt is used? Please place an X next to all that apply.*

NEWS of 5 + Clinical Judgement (senior review) X  
Red Flag Sepsis X  
Full NICE sepsis criteria X  
Sepsis 3 (quick SOFA)  
Sepsis 2 (SIRS criteria + organ dysfunction)

6) *What treatment pathway is used?*

- a) Sepsis 6 X focus is here
- b) SSC guidelines (6hrs and 24hrs is done in critical care areas)

I trust that this information is helpful to you, however if you are not entirely satisfied with this response please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department on 01257 488271. If we do not hear from you within 28 days we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,



Andrew Foster  
Chief Executive

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