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Date Received: 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2023

Response Due: 31<sup>st</sup> January 2023

Date: 27<sup>th</sup> March 2023

Dear Sir/Madam

You asked:

**1. Does your Pathology Department currently use a solution to monitor the fridge temperature?**

Yes.

**2. If yes who is the supplier?**

Haier Biomedical – Realtime system

**3. When does the contract expire?**

Rolling 12-month contract.

**4. How much are you currently paying for the solution?**

We have taken the decision to withhold the information relating to the cost of the current solution as we regard this to be commercially sensitive information, which should be requested directly from the supplier, and is therefore exempt from disclosure under section 43(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Releasing this information is likely to prejudice the commercial interests of the Trust and the provider.

Section 43(2) exempts information whose disclosure would, or would be likely to, prejudice the commercial interests of any legal person (an individual, a company, the public authority itself or any other legal entity).

**5. Does the department monitor anything else e.g. Humidity, Pressure.**

Door opening time of fridges. Freezer & Incubator temperatures.

**6. Does your Pharmacy Department currently use a solution to remotely monitor the fridge temperature?**

No

**7. If yes who is the supplier?**

N/A

**8. When does the contract expire?**

N/A

**9. How much are you currently paying for the solution?**

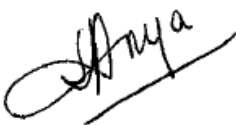
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**10. Does the department monitor anything else eg. Humidity, Pressure.**

No

If you are not entirely satisfied with this response, please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department via the email address provided. 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,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Sanjay Arya', with a horizontal line underneath.

Sanjay Arya  
Medical Director

PLEASE NOTE:

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you should write to: Information Governance Department, Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust, Suite 9, Buckingham Row, Brick Kiln Lane, Wigan, WN1 1XX.

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision at:

The Information Commissioner's Office

Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
Cheshire, SK9 5AF

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