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Response Due: 8th December 2023

Date: 5th December 2023

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 10th November 2023, I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that we do hold the information you have requested. A response to each part of your request is provided below.

In your request you asked:

| Mammography Equipment | | | |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------|---|
| EQUIPMENT | | VOLUME | AGE (YEARS) |
| Mammography Gantry | 2D | 4 | X-ray Room 1 – 2 years Mobile 1 – 4 years Mobile 2 - 4 years Mobile 3- 4 years |
| | 3D | 2 | x-ray room 2 – 2 years x-ray room 3- 5 years |
| Biopsy Guidance System | 2D + Tomo Biopsy capabilities | 2 | x-ray room 2 – 2 years x-ray room 3- 5 years |
| Lateral Arm | N/a | 2 | x-ray room 2 – 2 years x-ray room 3- 5 years |
| Tomo Biopsy Software | 3D | 2 | x-ray room 2 – 2 years x-ray room 3- 5 years |
| Contrast Biopsy Software | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Breast Ultrasound System | N/A | 3 | US Room 1 – 2 years US Room 2 – 4 years US Room 3 – 1 year |

| Breast Interventional Biopsy Equipment | | |
|--|-------------|-------------|
| EQUIPMENT | VOLUME | AGE (YEARS) |
| Vacuum Assisted Biopsy System | Encor x2 | 2 years |

| Breast Specimen Equipment | | | | |
|---------------------------|-------------|----|---|-------------|
| EQUIPMENT | LOCATION | | VOLUME | AGE (YEARS) |
| Specimen Imaging Unit | Breast Unit | 2D | Hologic – Faxitron – Core Vision x2 | 2 years |
| | | | | 1 year |
| | Theatre | 2D | Faxitron Bioptics PiXarray 100 X2 | 10 + years |

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 40 days, we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,



Hazel Hendriksen
Director of Operations and Performance

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

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