## Maidstone and **MHS** Tunbridge Wells

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## Freedom of Information Act 2000

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to Water hygiene.

This request relates specifically to water hygiene and the measures taken to prevent infection from waterborne pathogens. Can you please advise the number of point-of-use filters used per annum by the Trust to prevent waterborne bacteria exiting the water system?

Ideally a breakdown giving the number of filters used in 2014, 2015 and 2016. However if only approximate annual usage figures are available then this will be adequate for our purposes.

2014	Maidstone Hospital	144
2015	Maidstone Hospital	144
2016	Maidstone Hospital	72

Tunbridge Wells Hospital do not use point-of-use filters.