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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 Stoma Care nursing services.

Information request 1 - The name of the incumbent Service Provider of the Stoma Care Nursing Services along with the date of the Contract Review?

Information request 2 - Stoma population per annum within your Trust?

Information request 3 - The number of patients who require scripts in continence and stoma per annum?

Information request 4 - Current number of stoma nursing staff on role at the Trust and their location?

Information request 5 - Has the stoma nursing services contract recently been extended and if so did this go to Tender?

Information request 6 - The appropriate E-Tender Portal website you use?

Information request 1 - Dansac, Date of contract review was 30th Sep 2017 but now extended as per request 5 but will end as soon as re-tendering process is completed.

Information request 2 - Approx. 300 new stomas

Information request 3 - Approx. 800 in-patients both new and existing

Information request 4 - 3 x Band7 WTE & 0.6 Band 6 WTE plus 0.4 WTE Band 3 admin support. 2 based at Maidstone Hospital, 1.6 based at Tunbridge Wells Hospital but all provide cross-site cover as required.

Information request 5 - 3 months' written notice to the other party. This will enable the Trust to re-tender the current stoma care service provision and have a new contract in place when feasible. The Stoma care team are currently reviewing the service specification which would be included in the forthcoming tender.

Information request 6 - The Trust use the Due North e-tendering portal www.lpp sourcing.org