## Maidstone and **NHS** 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 training confirmation.

Could you please confirm if the below course are delivered in line to the skills for health guidelines?

- [Basic Life Support]

- [Manual Handling]

- Basic Life Support – The Trust teach to RC(UK) standards as endorsed by the National Resus council and Royal college of physicians

- Manual Handling – The Trust follows guidance from the HSE, the national back exchange and our own risk assessment. For the Moving and handling of the fallen person element, it is in accordance with the NICE quality standard 86

Please note that this does not mean that the Trust does not cover aspects included in their guidelines, but we do not use them as guidance or a competency assessment for our records.