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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 Total Laparoscopic Hysterectomy.

- 1. Do you undertake Total Laparoscopic Hysterectomy procedures and if so what do you use as a vaginal occluder during the procedure?*
- 2. If you do undertake Total Laparoscopic Hysterectomy's in theatre, have you ever had a never event relating to this procedure?*

1. Yes. We use Conmed - VCARE, Vaginal- Cervical-Ahluwalia's-Retractor-Elevator

2. No, we have not had a never event associated with Total Laparoscopic Hysterectomy within the last 5 years.