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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 air handling units. (AHU).

*Would be possible to obtain by email the total number of air handling units in operating theatres in the hospitals managed by the trust and the age of the air handling units (as in how long they have been installed).*

Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust has two main sites and the details below are for both those sites.

#### Tunbridge Wells Hospital at Pembury

7 AHU's feeding 10 operating theatres.  
The units are all dated August 2009.

#### Maidstone Hospital

6 AHU's feeding 8 Theatres

X2 dated 1983  
X3 dated 2003  
X1 dated 2006