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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 HCR Services.

- 1) *Does the Trust have an agreement to use HCR Services either under contract, via a purchase/supply order or some other agreement?*
 - a. *If yes, please would you answer the following questions?*
 - i. *Is this under contract?*
 - ii. *When did it start?*
 - iii. *When does it end?*
 - iv. *Is the Trust paid additional monies by HCR Services above the amounts to be recovered?*
 - b. *Is this via some other agreement?*
 - i. *What kind of Agreement?*
 - ii. *When did it start?*
 - iii. *When does it end?*
 - iv. *Is the Trust paid additional monies by HCR Services above the amounts to be recovered?*
- 2) *In relation to the HCR Services, what is required from the emergency department(s)?*
 - a. *To collect data on attendees who have suffered a 3rd party accident and send on to HCR services (with appropriate permission)?*
 - i. *If yes, how is the permission obtained?*
 - b. *To pass every patient a leaflet on HCR Services?*
 - c. *To only pass patients who have suffered a 3rd Party Accident a leaflet on HCR Services?*
- 3) *In relation to the HCR Services and the above, is there a requirement for this service to be operated elsewhere within the hospitals (Wards, Ambulatory, Outpatients?)*
- 4) *If possible please enclose a scan/copy of any literature that would be passed to a patient.*
- 5) *In brief please explain how HCR services improve the revenue to be recovered via the NHS Injury cost recovery scheme? (What else do they do that would not be done otherwise?)*

1. No
2. to 5. Not applicable