

Ref: FOI/GS/ID 5610

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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 Clinical systems.

You asked:

- 1. The name of the main Clinical system used in the Pathology dept.?*
- 2. The name, job title and email address of the person responsible within the department for this system?*
- 3. The name of the main Clinical system used in the Radiology dept.?*
- 4. The name, job title and email address of the person responsible within the department for this system?*
- 5. The name of the main Clinical system used in the Endoscopy dept.?*
- 6. The name, job title and email address of the person responsible within the department for this system?*
- 7. The name of the main Clinical system used in the Cardiology dept.?*
- 8. The name, job title and email address of the person responsible within the department for this system?*

Trust response:

1, 3, 5 & 7.

Under Section 21 of the Act we are not required to provide information in response to a request if the information is already reasonably accessible to you. The information you requested is available from the trust website using the following link/s:



Trust-systems.-2709
18.pdf



Trust-systems.-2102
18.pdf

2. Under Section 21 of the Act we are not required to provide information in response to a request if the information is already reasonably accessible to you. The information you requested is available from the trust website using the following link/s: <https://www.mtw.nhs.uk/gps/pathology/>

4, 6 & 8. This information can be found on the Trust website using the following link: <http://www.mtw.nhs.uk/wp-content/uploads/2018/12/Clinically-Led-Brochure-FINAL.pdf> Maidstone & Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust receives a number of requests for details relating to the professional lives of our staff from private individuals and organisations, some of whom are involved in recruitment and marketing. We are aware that approaches from some of these organisations, as a result of any disclosure on our part, may lead to damage and distress to individuals whose roles and responsibilities would not normally be public facing or a level where the expectation would be that this information should be in the public domain. On very rare occasions it might be considered in the public interest to disclose some information but in such cases the views of the individual staff concerned is always sought.

The Trust has therefore decided that in future all such requests will normally be refused using the limitations available under Section 10 and Section 11 of the Data Protection Act 1998.

Further information is therefore exempt under Section 40 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.