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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 Bariatric contracts and equipment.

*You asked:*

- 1. Bariatric contracts in place if any*
- 2. Usage data of any bariatric equipment – Beds, Mattresses, and accessories*
- 3. Cost data of bariatric equipment used at each site*

Trust response:

- No contracts, with the exception of five hoists on planned maintenance contract.  
Bariatric beds hired adhoc against specific patient needs
- We do not have usage data on these devices.
- Planned Maintenance contract for Hoists - £200 per item, per annum