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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 breathing circuits and filters.

*You asked:*

- 1. How many Breathing Circuits (such as parallel circuits, coaxial circuits etc) does the Trust use in theatres per annum based on 2019-2020 figures*
- 2. How many Breathing filters (such as HME filters) does the Trust use in theatres per annum based on 2019-2020 figures*
- 3. Who is the current supplier for breathing circuits and filters and is there a contract in place, if so when is it up for renewal?*
- 4. What is the brand of anaesthetic machines used?*

Trust response:

1. 1300
2. 2631
3. Intersurgical via NHSSC. As this contract is via NHSSC the Trust is unable to advise on the renewal date.
4. Anaesthetic machines are all Maquet