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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 data management systems.

You asked:

Please list the supplier and system name of all data management systems in use for point of care testing devices within your hospital/trust.

A Point of Care (POC) testing device is used throughout the hospital to provide near patient testing at the patient point of care instead of testing in the Laboratory. These devices are typically managed by the Laboratory, Point of Care team or Medical Physics. A POC Data Management System (DMS) is used to manage these devices and gather their patient test data so it can be sent to other Hospital Systems. We would like to know the supplier and system name of any POC DMS systems used by the Trust.

Trust response:

The data management system is PoCcelerator from Siemens