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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 digital sepsis alerts.

You asked:

- a) Does your Trust use an electronic health/patient record? YES/NO If YES
- b) Who is the provider of the electronic health/patient record?
- e.g. EPIC and Cerner
- i) If you use more than one system in the hospital could you provide details of the system used for adult inpatients and adult emergency departments.
- c) When was the electronic health/patient record introduced?
- d) Does your Trust use a digital sepsis alert [1]? YES/NO If YES
- e) Please give details on the hospital departments in which the alert is active.
- f) Please provide details of the algorithm [2] and/or thresholds [3] in use in the digital sepsis alert.

Trust response:

- a) Yes
- b) Allscripts
- i) Both use Allscripts
- c) June 2021
- d) Yes
- e) Emergency departments only at present
- f) Algorithm is per national standards