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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 Pathology LIMS.

You asked:

- 1. a. For each pathology network in your region please can you state the maturity domain stage for LIMS, Ordercomms and Interoperability?*
- 1. b. Please provide the justification for this stage selection*
- 2. a. For each pathology network in your region please can you state the maturity domain stage for Digital Histopathology?*
- 2. b. Please provide the justification for this stage selection*
- 3.a What is your LIMS provider, please provide all providers when multiple systems are in use*
- 3.b. What is the end date for the contacts for providing these systems*

Trust response:

1. a. New LIMS has been procured for the Network. Implementation undergoing no. Order Comms – there is a project to harmonise the GP order comms across the Network. This is on-going and we believe a procurement process will be undertaken soon. Hospital order-comms is within the Allscripts/ Sunrise project within each Trust.
1. b. Procurement process.
2. a. This at the beginning of the project – investigation, costing etc and business case to NHS Digital.
2. b. See 2.a.
- 3.a Currently it is Telepath. We will be moving to Clinisys within the next two years.
- 3.b. See 3a