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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 Skin MDT.

*You asked: All questions are shown as received by the Trust.*

*I am researching Skin MDTs with regards to how they run, their efficacy and costs across the UK.*

*I am writing to your team for the following information by FOI request:*

1. *Venue*
2. *All staff present based on attendance records*
3. *Time spent by each team member in preparing for the SSMDT meeting*
4. *Time spent by team coordinator preparing for and disseminating SSMDT outcome*
5. *Running time in minutes of the SSMDT*
6. *Overheads as a percentage of total operating costs from the most recent financial year*
7. *Number of new cases discussed*
8. *Number of re-discussions discussed (re-discussion defined as any patient discussed at the same point in their pathway but following an additional test or any patient brought back to MDT for re-discussion of the same test results)*
9. *Were any videoconferencing facilities used across sites?*

Trust response:

Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust do not manage any of the skin MDT's. The 'West' Kent Skin MDT is run by the Queen Victoria Hospital and the 'East' Kent run by East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust. Please contact them directly.