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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 Clinical waste.

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

- 1) Who is your current contractor for clinical waste collections? This will usually be one contractor for offensive/hazardous waste (tiger and orange bags) as well as sharps however if you have more than one contractor, please could you name them all
- 2) Please could you confirm if you are in a specific contract for clinical waste management or if clinical waste is collected as part of a wider total waste management solution. If a part of a total waste management solution, the TWM provider should be named in question 1
- 3) If in contract for clinical waste management, please could you confirm the start date and the term of the contract? Could you please state if you contractually have the option extend past the standard duration and if so by how long?
- 4) If known, please could you confirm how many separate sites clinical waste is collected from across your estate?

## Trust response:

- 1) Stericycle.
- 2) As above.
- 3) Start date Aug 2016 for 5 years, contractual option to extend written in, extended 1 followed by 1yr, expired Aug 23 re-extended 6 month to March 2024.
- 4) Four