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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 Medical workforce systems.

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

- 1. Which software provider does the Trust use for master vendor management software*
- 2. What software provider does the Trust use for nurse rostering software*
- 3. What is the contractual end date of your current master vendor management software*
- 4. What is the contractual end date of your current nurse rostering software*

Trust response:

Following the Synnovis cyber-attack on the NHS and due to the increased risk to the NHS, the Trust has taken the decision to not release detailed information relating to its software and systems.

Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust takes these risks very seriously. Since it holds large amounts of sensitive, personal and confidential information, maintaining the security of this information is extremely important. Disclosure of the information would assist a hacker in gaining valuable information as to the nature of the Trust's systems, defences and possible vulnerabilities.

There is a very strong public interest in preventing the Trust's information systems from being subject to cyber-attacks.