



**Freedom of Information Request**

**Ref: UHB 19-671**

15 November 2019

By Email

Dear Sir/Madam

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Trust's response is as follows:

1. Who is the Trust's current supplier for their Electronic Patient Record?  
System C.
  - a. What are the contract start and end dates for the Electronic Patient Record?  
April 21 to April 24.
2. Who is the Trust's current supplier for their Patient Administration System?  
System C.
  - a. What are the contract start and end dates for the Patient Administration System?  
April 21 to April 24.
3. When is the trust due to start looking to re-procure their clinical systems?  
This is an on-going process dependent on expiry of contracts used by individual departments that do not use core EPR.
4. Who supplies the Trust's integration system?  
This is developed and maintained in-house.
5. How often does the Trust evaluate their Clinical Systems?  
On-going according to requirements of individual departments.
6. Please supply a copy of the Trust's latest Digital Strategy  
Please see attached.
  - a. How regularly does the Trust review their Digital Strategy?  
The next iteration of the Digital Strategy will be released in Q4 OF FY 19/20 to support the Trust's five-year strategy.

7. Who is the Trust's current Chief Clinical Information Officer?  
This is a joint role between Chris Bourdeaux and Adam Dangoor.
8. Who is the Trust's current CIO/ IT Director?  
Steve Gray.
9. Which member of the board is responsible for IT?  
Director of Finance and Information.
10. Please provide an organisation chart for the trust's IM&T department.  
Please see attached.
11. Please provide a link to the trust's latest Board Assurance Framework.  
The Trust does not publish its Board Assurance Framework and a link is therefore not available. A summary of the Board Assurance framework can be found in the Trust's annual Report 2018/19.  
([http://www.uhbristol.nhs.uk/media/3633241/university\\_hospitals\\_bristol\\_nhs\\_foundation\\_trust\\_annual\\_report\\_and\\_accounts\\_2018-19.pdf](http://www.uhbristol.nhs.uk/media/3633241/university_hospitals_bristol_nhs_foundation_trust_annual_report_and_accounts_2018-19.pdf) )
12. Which member of the Trust is the SRO for the STP engagements?  
Chief Executive officer.
13. What proportion of the Trust's IM&T Department is made up of interim staff and permanent staff?  
No interim contractors are engaged by the Trust's IM&T department although some fixed-term posts are allocated to projects.
14. How many beds does the trust have?  
Please see attached the Trust's bed base.
15. How many staff does the trust employ?  
As a headcount, the Trust has 12,203. Excluding staff with 0 FTE i.e. bank and honorary staff, the figure is 9,876.  
As an FTE the figure is 8,543.3  
Figures as at October 29th 2019.
16. What is the Trust's current NHSI Rating via the NHS Oversight Framework?  
The Trust currently has a rating of 2 under the NHS Oversight Framework.
17. What is the trust's current Digital Maturity Score?  
There is no current Digital Maturity Score being maintained by the NHS.
18. Does the trust outsource their IT services to an external provider, if so please provide details of provider and contract dates

No.

19. Is the Trust looking to migrate to the cloud in the next 2 years?

No.

20. Is the Trust considering their options of outsourcing their IT Services in the next 3 years?

No.

This concludes our response. We trust that you find this helpful, but please do not hesitate to contact us directly if we can be of any further assistance.

If, after that, you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to:

Director of Corporate Governance  
University Hospitals Bristol NHS Foundation Trust  
Trust Headquarters  
Marlborough Street  
Bristol  
BS1 3NU

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF

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Yours sincerely

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