



FOI REF: 22/229

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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT

I am responding to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act. The answers to your specific questions are as follows:

- 1. Do the East Sussex Healthcare Trust pay 'The Patient Knows Best' company for hosting/administering our patient record data?**

East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust pay The Patients Knows Best company as part of a collaborative agreement with other NHS Trusts.

- 2. If the answer to 1. above is 'No' who pays the company (the amount may be commercially sensitive but the fact of payment is not)**

Not applicable.

If I can be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Should you be dissatisfied with the Trust's response to your request, please write to the Freedom of Information Department (esh-tr.foi@nhs.net), quoting the above reference.

Yours sincerely

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