



FOI REF: 23/203

24th April 2024

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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:

According to our records, your trust's contract with *the below supplier* is expiring (or has expired already).

Technologies	Name of the supplier	Name of the software/system	Final date
Electronic document management system	Kainos	Evolve	Mar-2023

Please could you confirm whether you have agreed a contract with a new supplier (if so what is the contract length and name of the supplier and system in question), or if you have extended your contract with your existing supplier? If neither, please provide details of what's happening at the minute (e.g. the trust is procuring a new system, the trust is developing an in-house solution etc).

The above contract was extended until September 2023 to enable the trust to have a period of time to review wider strategic options before going out to the market.

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, you have the right to request an internal review. Please write to the Freedom of Information Department (esh-tr.foi@nhs.net), quoting the above reference, within 40 working days. The Trust is not obliged to accept an internal review after this date.

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Should you still be dissatisfied with your FOI request, you have the right of complaint to the Information Commissioner at the following address:

The Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
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Telephone: 0303 123 1113

Yours sincerely

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