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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:

**I am seeking information on any AI-based software or applications currently in use, either for research purposes or routine operations.**

**Please could you answer the following:**

- 1. Is your NHS organisation currently using any software/apps that include artificial intelligence (AI)?**

No.

**If answer to Q1 is yes:**

- 2. Please provide a list of any AI-based software that is currently in use within your organisation. Please include the brand name of the software and the name of the company that sells it.**

Not applicable.

- 3. For each of the AI-based software products currently in use, please state whether:**

- a. it is only being used within the context of a research study or pilot project OR**

Not applicable.

- b. is has been purchased/commissioned by your organisation for routine use.**

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, you have the right to request an internal review. Please write to the Freedom of Information Department ([esh-tr.foi@nhs.net](mailto: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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