

FOI REF: 25/086

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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 would like to request the following information from the Trust:**

**1) The number of virtual ward supplier contracts active in the trust.**

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**2) The name of the supplier.**

Current Health.

**3) The length of contract and termination/renewal date of the contracts.**

Start date of contract	22 <sup>nd</sup> March 2022.
Contract end date	31 <sup>st</sup> March 2025.

**4) The award value if publicly available.**

The award value is not publicly available.

**5) The number of virtual ward beds contracted and target.**

40 Licences.

- 6) **The number of virtual ward patients admitted and discharged against the individual contracts from January 1st 2024 to July 1st 2024, broken down by clinical specialty.**

Pathway	Admissions	Discharges
Frailty	18	19
General	72	72
Heart Failure	22	22
RESPS	167	168

- 7) **Information on the type of monitoring specified (Intermittent/Continuous).**

Continuous.

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.

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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Yours sincerely

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