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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:

We would like to request the following information from East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust

1) We have the following formularies listed as used by the organisation:

Sussex Partner Formulary

Please confirm if this is correct and if not, please provide any relevant online links or copies of formularies.

We can confirm this is correct.

2) We understand the following committees maintain the formularies in question

Sussex Health and Care Partnership Area Prescribing Committee

Please confirm if this is correct. If not correct, please list the relevant committees with the corresponding formulary.

We can confirm this is correct.

3) Does the organisation have representation on the committees listed in question 2?

Yes.

4) Are any of the above formularies listed in question 1 dominant when making prescribing decisions or does this depend on therapy area? Please say which is the dominant formulary of the organisation.

Only one formulary for this area.

5) If you use a PDF formulary, have you considered moving it to an online platform like Netformulary, and if yes, when are you planning to do so?

Already a web based formulary.

6) Request for Re-use

Yes.

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 (<u>eshtr.foi@nhs.net</u>), 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 Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF

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Yours sincerely

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