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Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Request for Information

Thank you for your request for information received on 16 January 2020 in relation to the County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust (Trust). We are dealing with your request under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

You requested information regarding the treatment of corneal oedema. Specifically you requested information as follows:

I am writing to make an open government request for the following information to which I believe I am entitled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

- ***What is your usage of sodium chloride 5% (10ml) units in the last 12 months?***
- ***How many units of ODM5 have you used in the last 12 months?***
- ***Who have been your suppliers of sodium chloride 5% (10ml) units during the past 12 months?***
- ***What price does your trust pay for Sodium Chloride 5% (10ml units)?***

If the release of any of this information is prohibited on the grounds of breach of confidence, I ask that you supply me with copies of the confidentiality agreement and remind you that information should not be treated as confidential if such an agreement has not been signed.

County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust replies:

The product above has not been used in the Trust in the last 12 months.

In line with the Information Commissioner's directive on the disclosure of information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 your request will form part of our

disclosure log. Therefore, a version of our response which will protect your anonymity will be posted on the County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust website.

If you have any queries or wish to discuss the information supplied, please do not hesitate to contact me on the above telephone number or at the above address.

If you are unhappy with the way your request for information has been handled, you can request a review by writing to:

The Chief Executive
County Durham & Darlington NHS Foundation Trust
Darlington Memorial Hospital
Hollyhurst Road
Darlington
DL3 6HX

If, you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request or complaint, you have a right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at:

The Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

Telephone: 0303 123 1113
Website: www.ico.gov.uk.

There is no charge for making an appeal.

Yours sincerely

Joanna Tyrrell
Freedom of Information Officer