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### **Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Request for Information**

Thank you for submitting a request for information which we received on 9 November 2020 in relation to County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust (the Trust). Your request has been processed under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and I am now able to provide you with a response.

Your request was in relation to defibrillators and I am providing the following information in response to your specific questions:

**Under the freedom of information act please could I request the following information regarding the defibrillators used in University Hospital of North Durham (UHND) and Darlington Memorial Hospital (DMH). Please could you provide this information per hospital?**

- 1. Manual Defibrillator Machines manufacturer**
- 2. Manual Defibrillator model**
- 3. Year of purchase**
- 4. Proposed timeframe for replacement**
- 5. AED Defibrillator Machines manufacturer**
- 6. AED Defibrillator model**
- 7. Year of purchase**
- 8. Proposed timeframe for replacement**

Please see the attached spreadsheet which provides information for both manual and Automated External Defibrillator (AED) devices on the two sites requested. The spreadsheet is split in to two tabs, one for DMH and one for UHND.

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 on the Trust's website. However please be assured that we anonymise all responses prior to adding them to the disclosure log.

I hope that this response has provided you with the information you had requested. If you have any queries or wish to discuss the information supplied, please do not

hesitate to contact me by telephone or in writing. If however, you are dissatisfied with the way in which your request has been handled and would like an internal review, you will need to contact me in writing at the above address or via [cdda-tr.cddftfoi@nhs](mailto:cdda-tr.cddftfoi@nhs).

If you remain dissatisfied with our response following an internal review you have the right to appeal to The Information Commissioner at Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. More information is available on their website; [www.ico.gov.uk](http://www.ico.gov.uk).

Yours sincerely

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