

FOI0194/2022 Response

1. Do you or have you used the patient administration system Epex?

Yes – until it was decommissioned in 2011/2

2. If Yes, can you confirm if you are still actively using this system, if it is a read only system or have you successfully decommissioned this system?

No – the system was withdrawn from use upon decommissioning

3. If you decommissioned the system did you successfully extract and transfer the patient details and any letters and documents into another system, if so which one, and what format was the data extracted in?

A legacy records viewer application was constructed in-house to provide access to all the data and documents that were previously contained in Epex.

4. If you successfully transferred information from Epex, did you do this using the supplier Emis, In-house ICT support or did you use an external contractor?

The application was built by in-house developers and has continued to be maintained and expanded for other purposes since then including access to data from other legacy systems.

5. If you used a contractor please can you provide the name of the organisation you used, if this was done in-house can you provide the name of the manager for this particular team/person and a contact email address?

The staff involved with the original development have moved on and it is currently managed in house by ICT.

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