FOI 0509/2025 Response

1. What are the biggest challenges your organisation currently faces in surveying and geospatial activity?

Funding, Specialist Contractor Base to deliver, Geospatial activity means time-based data related to specific location on the earths surface- we do not review our data with such technological approach.

We do reviews based on Estatecode, Concode and Capricode including facet assessments, condition appraisals, functional suitability and space utilisation.

We have appointed a Data Analyst to begin to use a more scientific approach but use tried and trusted NHS, Estates and construction metrics.

2. Are you confident in your full knowledge of the condition and knowledge of your impact on our local environment?

Travel, Utilities Usage, Parking, Positive Local Employment Opportunities directly & indirectly, Positive Support in local events, Clinical support to local communities Social value, Planning parameters, Community consultation and communication, Sustainability positioning, Following commissioners strategies and reviews

3. What are your organisation's key strategic objectives for the next 12-24 months, and how does surveying and geospatial fit into these?

Please refer to question 1.

4. Please detail any planned development of sites or assets?

Highcroft New Build Inpatient Facility, Reaside Replacement New Build, Continuing uplift of properties in efficient green plan through Capital & Statutory Standards & Backlog Maintenance.

5. Do you have a supplier for drainage mapping and surveying?

No

6. If so, please can you supply details of the contractual arrangements in place including date of award, details of any Framework used or link to the advertisement, contract value and duration

N/A

7. If not, please can you indicate what evaluation of the requirement for surveying and geospatial works have been undertaken?

Full Site assessments of major development sites completed inc survey examples Topographical, Geotechnical, Environmental, Trees, Arboricultural, etc.

8. Please share your planned procurement pipeline for surveying and geospatial works for the next 12 months?

The Trust is unable to provide the requested information as this is still being drafted.

9. How do you engage with potential new suppliers—through open tenders, direct engagement, or supplier days?

Following NHS Procurement guidance.

10. Please can you confirm the individual responsible for managing your surveying and geospatial contracts or wider development contracts and provide their contact details and role title?

The Trust is unable to provide the requested information as we do not routinely share staff members personal details for those below a band 8c role.

We therefore rely on exemption Section 40 the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to deny this aspect of your request.

11. Please provide a list of frameworks that you procure related services through?

NHS Supply Chain, ESPO, NOECPC, H.T.E, LLP, SBS, Pagabo

12. Do you plan to repurpose any sites for renewable energy or solar farms?

Sites to be developed to achieve BREEAM Excellent, containing net zero/ decarbonisation opportunities

13. Do you have any issues with subsidence in your properties? If so, where?

No

14. When developing/purchasing/selling a site, how do you verify that the boundaries are correct?

Clear demarcation plans, Review Title deeds, Historical evidence, Boundary surveys, Topographical surveys, Land Registry Plans