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Thank you for your request concerning our Electronic Patient Recording (EPR) system.

Your request has been considered and processed in accordance with the requirements of the Freedom of Information (FOI) Act 2000.

Please can you respond to the following questions,

**1. Which EPR system does the Trust use or is in the process of implementing?**

Paris is provided by Civica  
PC-Mis is provided by University of York

**2. What are the contract dates?**

Paris was implemented in 2012 and the contract is due for renewal in 2023.  
PC-Mis was implemented in 2003 and is due for renewal in 2020.

**3. Which procurement route was used to purchase the EPR system?**

We used Hertfordshire Procurement Hub.

**4. How much has the trust invested into this purchase (including implementation and change management costs)**

EPR	Investment Costs
Paris	£2,283,360 (including VAT) over five years  £456,672 per year.
PCMIS	£107,952 per year including VAT.

**CAVEAT:** This does not include staff training costs which we do not report on separately from other training costs.

**5. If the Trust has designed its own EPR system, how much has the Trust invested or plan to invest in this project?**

We did not design the EPR.

6. **If the Trust has designed its own EPR system, is this available to other NHS trusts to use, and if so how much would be charged?**

Not applicable

7. **How was the EPR system funded? i.e. Centrally, Trust resources?**

These EPR systems were funded from Trust resources.

8. **How many staff use the EPR solution?**

System	Estimated number of Users
Paris	2700
PC Mis	500

9. **Is the EPR solution integrated into other trust platforms? If so, which ones?**

No

10. **Who is the Trust EPR lead?**

Hakan Akozek our Chief Information Officer takes the lead.

11. **If the Trust does not have an EPR system, is it planning to go out to market for one and what are the timings on this project?**

Not applicable.

12. **What HIMMS level are you currently at?**

We do not use this scale.

13. **Do you have plans to move up the EMRAD scale?**

We do not use this scale

14. **What Order Communications and Results system does the Trust use and what are the supplier contract dates ?**

We do not use any Order Communications and Results system.

15. **Does the Trust plan to replace its Order Communications and Results within the next 5 years?**

Not applicable.

16. **What EPMA system does the Trust use and what are the supplier contract dates ?**

Electronic Prescribing is not deployed.

17. **Does the Trust plan to replace its EPMA system within the next 5 years?**

Not applicable.

Should you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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Yours sincerely

*Sue Smith*

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**Information Rights Officer**

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