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Thank you for your request concerning Smoking Ban.

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

- 1. Could please tell me how your Trust plans to enforce the new smoking ban on hospital grounds once it takes effect in April?**

This information is readily available in the public domain<sup>1</sup>. Please follow this [link](#) to our Smoke Free at HPFT webpage.

- 2. Secondly for those caught disobeying the ban, if they are to be fined as a result, how much exactly would they have to pay out?**

Please follow the link provided above.

- 3. Thirdly, does your trust currently offer any on-site smoking cessation methods to encourage people to quit or seek an alternative to traditional cigarettes (such as e-cigarettes)?**

Please follow the link provided above.

- 4. Would these also have to be purchased or would they be distributed free of charge?**

Please follow the link provided above.

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

Please find enclosed an information sheet regarding copyright protection and the Trust's complaints procedure in the event that you are not satisfied with the response.

Yours sincerely

*Sue Smith*

**Sue Smith  
Information Rights Officer**

Enc: Copyright Protection and Complaints Procedure Information Leaflet.

If you would like to complete a short survey in relation to your Freedom of Information request please scan the QR code below or click [here](#).



<sup>1</sup> Section 21 – Information is accessible through other means