

Title: Barnstaple Hospital Services

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Further to your Freedom of Information Act request, please find the Trust's response(s) below:

1. What are the specific plans in regards to maintaining a 24-hour A&E service at Barnstaple hospital over the next 5 years? What services are planned to close during this period?

Answer: The Royal Devon University Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust is committed to the delivery of 24/7 provision of Urgent Care and Emergency treatment.

There are no plans to close the Emergency Department or reduce 24/7 provision in either Northern or Eastern locations.