

Radiology Contracts

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

Please be aware that the Royal Devon University Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust (Royal Devon) has existed since 1st April 2022 following the integration of the Northern Devon Healthcare NHS Trust (known as Northern Services) and the Royal Devon and Exeter NHS Foundation Trust (known as Eastern Services).

I am writing to submit a formal request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) regarding the contracts for Radiology Information System (RIS), Picture Archiving and Communication System (PACS), Image Management System (IMS – Digital Pathology) and Vendor Neutral Archive (VNA) within your Trust.

If there are multiple contracts for each system, please provide information for each contract individually. Additionally, if there have been any contract amendments or extensions, please include details on those changes.

Please enter 'No System Installed' or 'No department' under supplier name if your Trust does not use the system or have the department:

- a. Supplier name -*
- b. System name -*
- c. Date installed –*
- d. Contract End Date -*
- e. Any Extension included within the current agreement. -*
- f. Framework through which this was originally procured. -*
- g. Total value of contract (£) –*
- h. Notes - e.g. we are currently out to tender -*
- i. Is this contract annually renewed? – [Yes/No]*
- j. Do you currently have plans to replace this system? – [Yes/No]*

1. RIS System:

Answer: The Trust can confirm that it holds information that you have requested. This information is exempt under Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act because it is reasonably accessible to you. The information you requested can be accessed via the following link:

- <https://www.royaldevon.nhs.uk/media/bzho4b0g/foi-rdf2278-24-pacs-and-ris-system.pdf>

2. LIS/LIMS System:

Answer: The Trust can confirm that it holds information that you have requested. This information is exempt under Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act

because it is reasonably accessible to you. The information you requested can be accessed via the following link:

- <https://royaldevon.nhs.uk/media/twfopiv3/foi-rdf1075-22-lims-oncology-imaging-systems.pdf>

3. PACs system:

Answer: The Trust can confirm that it holds information that you have requested. This information is exempt under Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act because it is reasonably accessible to you. The information you requested can be accessed via the following link:

- <https://www.royaldevon.nhs.uk/media/bzho4b0q/foi-rdf2278-24-pacs-and-ris-system.pdf>

4. IMS system:

- Supplier name* - Exponential-E
- System name* - Sectra
- Date installed* – Not yet installed. This is part of a Peninsula project and the system is in the early implementation stage at the moment.
- Contract End Date* - This is part of a Peninsula project and the system is in the early implementation stage at the moment.
- Any Extension included within the current agreement* - This is part of a Peninsula project and the system is in the early implementation stage at the moment.
- Framework through which this was originally procured*. This is part of a Peninsula project and the system is in the early implementation stage at the moment.
- Total value of contract (£)* – This is part of a Peninsula project and the system is in the early implementation stage at the moment.
- Notes - e.g. we are currently out to tender* - Not yet installed. This is part of a Peninsula project and the system is in the early implementation stage at the moment.
- Is this contract annually renewed? – [Yes/No]* Not yet installed. This is part of a Peninsula project and the system is in the early implementation stage at the moment.
- Do you currently have plans to replace this system? – [Yes/No]* No.

5. VNA system:

- Supplier name* - Exponential-E
- System name* - Sectra
- Date installed* – Not yet installed. This is part of a Peninsula project and the system is in the early implementation stage at the moment.
- Contract End Date* - This is part of a Peninsula project and the system is in the early implementation stage at the moment.
- Any Extension included within the current agreement* - This is part of a Peninsula project and the system is in the early implementation stage at the moment.
- Framework through which this was originally procured* - This is part of a Peninsula project and the system is in the early implementation stage at the moment.

- g. Total value of contract (£) – This is part of a Peninsula project and the system is in the early implementation stage at the moment.*
- h. Notes - e.g. we are currently out to tender - Not yet installed. This is part of a Peninsula project and the system is in the early implementation stage at the moment.*
- h. Is this contract annually renewed? – [Yes/No] Not yet installed. This is part of a Peninsula project and the system is in the early implementation stage at the moment.*
- i. Do you currently have plans to replace this system? – [Yes/No] No.*

All Trust responses to Freedom of Information requests can be found at the following link:

- <https://royaldevon.nhs.uk/about-us/information-governance/freedom-of-information-foi-and-environmental-information-regulations-eir/foi-disclosure-log/>

Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act exempts disclosure of information that is reasonably accessible by other means. The terms of this exemption mean that the Trust does not have to consider whether or not it would be in the public interest for you to have the information.