

Title

Remote Monitoring Services for Virtual Wards

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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).

1. *Technology-enabled virtual wards remote monitoring services contract(s):*

A. *Is there a single remote monitoring services provider across all Royal Devon University Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust technology-enabled virtual wards, or are there multiple providers? Multiple providers – apple, withings and omron.*

B. *Who is/are the contracted remote monitoring services provider(s) for technology-enabled virtual wards?*

The Trust is unable to respond to this question as no contracts are in place.

C. *Does the contract(s) cover only licenses or telehealth equipment/kit, logistics services, etc, if so, which ones are included? Not applicable.*

D. *What is a contract(s) Value (£)? Not applicable.*

E. *What is the contract(s) Start Date? Not applicable.*

F. *What is the contract(s) Length (in months, years, please specify the term)? Not applicable.*

G. *Who is the contracting authority? Not applicable.*

H. *Procurement type (e.g., direct award via CCS framework, call-off from a dynamic purchasing system, open procedure, etc.)? Not applicable.*

2. *If there is no contract(s) in place, but technology-enabled virtual wards remote monitoring services are/were provided as a pilot programme, please provide the information:*

A. *Is/was this pilot funded through the One Devon ICB, or is/was the funding allocated directly through the Royal Devon University Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust or any collaboratives, if so, which one? NHSX pilot in 2021*

B. *Who is/was the selected remote monitoring services provided for this pilot? Not applicable.*

C. *What is/was the pilot Value (£)? Not applicable.*

D. *What is/was the pilot Start Date? Not applicable.*

E. *What is/was the pilot Length (in months, years, please specify the term)? Not applicable.*

3. *If there is a technology-enabled virtual ward remote monitoring service contract(s), but exemptions in FOIA protect the information due to the organisation entering a contract with a third-party contractor with confidentiality clauses (or on an expressly confidential basis). In that case, this shouldn't prevent disclosure under transparency obligations, for example, to publish spend data, so please provide the following information:*

A. What is the Value (£) spent on remote monitoring for virtual wards?

Not applicable.

B. What is the spent term monthly, quarterly, or annual?

Not applicable.