

Maternity - Home Phototherapy Systems

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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).

Under the Freedom of Information Act would it be possible to forward me the following information regarding the use of home phototherapy systems used by your community midwifery teams.

- 1. What (if any) home phototherapy system is used in the community to manage jaundice in babies?*

Answer: The Trust does not use home phototherapy systems.

- 2. When were they purchased or when was a contract agreed?*

Answer: Not applicable.

- 3. How many were purchased? (Per Hospital if purchased)*

Answer: Not applicable.

- 4. When will they be renewed or when does the current contract expire?*

Answer: Not applicable.

- 5. Would it also be possible to obtain the contact details of the person dealing with managing the home phototherapy systems that the community midwifery teams use?*

Answer: Not applicable.