

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

THE ROYAL CORNWALL HOSPITALS NHS TRUST RESPONSE TO INFORMATION REQUEST

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Requested Information

- 1) What are the Hospital names and locations that form part of the Trust? (Please provide details)
- 2) Which framework is utilized for purchasing such as SBS, NHS Supply Chain or other (please provide details of all that are used)
- 3) By which method is this procured? (Please state all that applies)

Section 2

- 1) What is the name of the manufacture used to provide Topical Negative Wound Therapy Treatment for each hospital location?
 - Smith-Nephew
 - KCI
 - Talley
 - Other (please provide names)
- 2) By which method is this procured? (Please state all that applies)
- 3) Is this equipment provided via Hire agreement, Purchase or other? (Please provide details)
- 4) Is the provision of this equipment contracted? Yes or No
- 5) If contracted is the service and maintenance of this equipment included as part of the contract? Yes or No
- 6) If No - How is service & maintenance of this equipment dealt with - 3rd party provider or in-house?
- 7) If 3rd party provider please state company name
- 8) Is the 3rd party service & maintenance contracted? Yes or No
- 9) If Yes what is the contract term? (Including any extension periods).
- 10) What is the expiry date of this contract?

The following questions are only applicable if the supply of Topical Negative Wound Therapy to the hospital trust is contracted

- 1) As a result of the tender did you change provider? Yes or No (If Yes please provide name of previous supplier)
- 2) What date did your current contract start?
- 3) How long is the current contract? (Including any extension periods)

- 4) When does the current contract expire?
- 5) Please provide the financial value of the contract in the last 12 months of the previous contract including total value and periods covered.
- 6) Please provide the financial value for the first 12 months of the current contract in place.

Section 3

- 1) What is the name of the manufacture used to provide pressure relief alternating dynamic surface air mattresses to the trust?
 - Hill-Rom
 - Smith-Nephew
 - Talley
 - Direct Healthcare
 - Karomed
 - Other (please provide names)
- 2) By which method is this procured? (Please state all that applies)
- 3) What is the total number of dynamic mattresses on-site?
- 4) Is this a managed service? Yes or No
- 5) Is the provision of dynamic surfaces contracted? Yes or No
- 6) If Yes is the service and maintenance of this equipment included as part of the contract? Yes or No
- 7) If No - How is service & maintenance of this equipment dealt with - 3rd party provider or in-house?
- 8) If 3rd party provider please state company name
- 9) Is this 3rd party service contracted? Yes or No
- 10) If Yes what is the contract term? (Including any extension periods).
- 11) What is the expiry date of this contract?
- 12) How is the decontamination of these products managed? In-house or 3rd party provider
- 13) If 3rd party provider please state company name
- 14) Is this 3rd party service contracted? Yes or No
- 15) If Yes what is the contract term? (Including any extension periods).
- 16) What is the expiry date of this contract

The following questions are only applicable if the supply of dynamic alternating air surface mattresses to the hospital trust is contracted

- 1) Which method is used to tender the contract? (Please provide details)

- 2) What date did your current contract start?
- 3) What is the term of the contract? (including any extension periods)
- 4) When does the current contract expire?
- 5) Is the contract purchase, hire or other (please provide details)
- 6) If contracted, when did you last tender the contract?
- 7) As a result of the tender did you change provider? Yes or No (if Yes please provide previous supplier)

Response

- 1) The Hospital names and locations that form Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust:
 - Royal Cornwall Hospital, Truro
 - St Michael's Hospital, Hayle
 - West Cornwall Hospital, Penzance
- 2) Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust utilises the following frameworks for purchasing
 - NHS Supply Chain
 - Shared Business Service (SBS)
- 3) The methods of procurement used at Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust are as follows:
 - NHS Supply Chain – direct from the catalogue or mini-competition, depending on product
 - SBS – direct from the contract pricing or mini-competition, depending on product
 - Collaborative tender exercise with other local Trusts
 - Trust tender exercise

Section 2

- 1) The name of the manufacture used exclusively to provide Topical Negative Wound Therapy Treatment at each of the Royal Cornwall Hospitals is Aceility formerly known as KCI
- 2) Negative-pressure wound therapy at Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust is this procured through a negotiated EU Compliant Contract
- 3) The Negative-pressure wound therapy equipment is provided through rental hire
- 4) The provision for Negative-pressure wound therapy equipment is contracted at Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust
- 5) The service and maintenance of the Negative-pressure wound therapy equipment is included as part of the contract
- 6) The service and maintenance of Negative-pressure wound therapy equipment is provided in-house by Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust
- 7) Not applicable as the service and maintenance of Negative-pressure wound therapy equipment is provided in-house by Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust

- 8) Not applicable as the service and maintenance of Negative-pressure wound therapy equipment is provided in-house by Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust
- 9) Not applicable as the service and maintenance of Negative-pressure wound therapy equipment is provided in-house by Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust
- 10) Not applicable as the service and maintenance of Negative-pressure wound therapy equipment is provided in-house by Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust

The following questions are only applicable if the supply of Topical Negative Wound Therapy to the hospital trust is contracted

- 1) The provider of the current contract for Negative-pressure wound therapy equipment at Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust did not change, it remains with Aceility formerly known as KCI
- 2) The date the contract started for Negative-pressure wound therapy equipment at Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust was April 2012
- 3) The length of the current contract for Negative-pressure wound therapy equipment at Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust is four years & nine months
- 4) The current contract for Negative-pressure wound therapy equipment at Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust expires 31st December 2016
- 5) Regarding your request for the financial value of the contract in the last 12 months of the previous contract, the RCHT can confirm this to be circa £55,000
- 6) Regarding your request for the financial value for the first 12 months of the current contract, the RCHT can confirm this to be circa £35,000

Section 3

- 1) The manufacturer providing pressure relief alternating dynamic surface air mattresses to Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust is Drive DeVilbiss Healthcare, formerly known as Park House
- 2) The pressure relief alternating dynamic surface air mattresses at the Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust are procured through the following:
 - NHS Supply Chain
 - NHS SBS framework prices
 - or local agreement, depending on supplier/spend
- 3) The total number of dynamic mattresses on site at the Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust is 220
- 4) The supply of alternating dynamic surface air mattresses at the Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust is not a managed service

- 5) The provision of alternating dynamic surface air mattresses at Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust can be contracted through any of the following frameworks:
 - NHS Supply Chain
 - NHS SBS framework prices
 - or local agreement, depending on supplier/spend
- 6) Not applicable as there is no contract for alternating dynamic surface air mattresses at Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust
- 7) The service and maintenance of alternating dynamic surface air mattresses at Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust is provided in-house through the internal Clinical Equipment Management Service
- 8) Not applicable as the service and maintenance of dynamic surface air mattresses equipment is provided in-house by Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust
- 9) Not applicable as the service and maintenance of dynamic surface air mattresses equipment is provided in-house by Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust
- 10) Not applicable as the service and maintenance of dynamic surface air mattresses equipment is provided in-house by Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust
- 11) Not applicable as the service and maintenance of dynamic surface air mattresses equipment is provided in-house by Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust
- 12) The decontamination of alternating dynamic surface air mattresses at Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust is managed via a Decontamination Service Contract
- 13) The decontamination of alternating dynamic surface air mattresses at Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust is managed by Drive DeVilbiss Healthcare, formerly known as Park House
- 14) Yes the decontamination service is contracted to Drive DeVilbiss Healthcare, formerly known as Park House are contracted
- 15) The contract term for the decontamination service for alternating dynamic surface air mattresses at Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust is 12 Months
- 16) The expiry date of the decontamination contract for alternating dynamic surface air mattresses at Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust is September 2017

The Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust does not have a contract for the supply of dynamic alternating air surface mattresses, therefore have not answered questions 1 – 7 of this part of your request.

Attachment(s)

None

Date Response Sent:

12 October 2016