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By email: request-339436-307464b8@whatdotheyknow.com

Dear Mr Abrams,

Re: FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST: 57124

Please find below the response to your Freedom of Information request to Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust.

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Does Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust provide an erectile dysfunction clinic and can you provide the total number and addresses of all NHS erectile dysfunction clinics within Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust? If you do not know who should we ask?

The Trust provides an Erectile Dysfunction Service within the Cardiovascular Directorate.

There are two aims to this service:

- (a) to provide specialist support for those with erectile dysfunction as a consequence of cardiac disease and/or its treatment; and
- (b) to provide a service to evaluate those with erectile dysfunction from a cardiac perspective (since erectile dysfunction can be a marker of vascular disease)

The Trust accepts referrals from the patient's GP or other care provider with the GP's authority / permission. Referrals can be made in writing to the Cardiac Department or by e-mail to gst-tr.cardology@nhs.net

Within the Trust, there is also an Erectile Dysfunction Services offered by the Urology Department. The Cardiovascular Directorate work closely with the Urology Department in this regard and will frequently refer patients from one department to the other. depending on clinical need.

Please let us know if you require more details or further clarification. You can find out more about the Trust and our publication scheme at our website².

If you are dissatisfied with our response, please use our FOI review process by contacting foi@gstt.nhs.uk or writing to:

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If you remain dissatisfied after a review, you have the right under s50 of the Act to apply to the Information Commissioner's Office for a decision. Further details about this and the Act can be found on their website³.

Yours sincerely,



Jon Findlay
Chief Operating Officer

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² <http://www.guysandstthomas.nhs.uk/about-us/publications/foi/freedom-of-information.aspx>

³ <http://www.ico.org.uk>