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Dear Scott,

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI/18/10/43.

You requested the following information, please also see our response below:

I would like to request the following information

1) The current stock/kit list for your front-line primary response bag/s.

Please see tables below:

Primary Bag	
CD Oxygen cylinder	1
Adult BVM	1
Adult high flow 100% O2 mask	1
Adult med flow 40% O2 mask	1
Adult low flow 28% O2 mask(where available)	1
Paed 100% O2 mask	1
Adult Neb mask	1
Paed Neb mask	1
Transpore Tape	1
Conforming Bandage small/large	1 of each
Dressing, size 3	1
Swab (pack of 5)	1 pack
Triangular bandage	1
Normasol sachets 100ml	2
Clinical waste bag ,Tag & Label	1
B.M Kit	1

BM Strips	10 minimum
Lancets	10
OP Airways size 4, 3, 2, 1, 0	1 each
NP Airways, size 6,7 & 8	1 each
Small lubricating gel	2
Peak Flow meter	1
Peak Flow Mouthpieces	3 + 1 Paed mouthpiece
Pulse Oximeter	1
Tympanic	1
Thermometer Caps	box in machine + 1 spare box
Suction Easy (Manual Aspirator)	1
Yankeur Catheter small & large	1 each
Flexible Catheter 10g & 16g	1
Metronome	1
BP Cuff	1
Stethoscope	1
Small sharps box	1
BVM neb T piece set + Flexible Catheter Mount	1
Face Masks with visor	2
Nasal Bolster	1
Aprons	2

Paediatric	
Main Bag -	
500 ml 0.9% Sodium Chloride	1
500 ml 10% Glucose	1
Giving Set	2
Paed BVM	1
HME Filter	1
Paed Quick Track	1
Normasol Sachet 100ml	1
Paed Peak Flow Meter Mouthpieces	2
Syringe 10ml & 50ml	1 of each
3 Way Tap	1
Conforming Bandage small/large	1 of each
Transpore Tape	1
Flushes- PreFilled Syringe (10ml)	2

ET Tubes size 3, 3.5, 4, 4.5, 5 & 5.5	1 of each
Small Lubricating Gel	2
ET Tube securing Tape	2
Plasters	5
Medi Swabs	5
BP Cuff size 1,3,5.	1 of each
Paediatric Intubation Board & Netting	
Cannula size 18g, 20g & 22g	1 of each
OP Airways sizes 000, 00, 0, 1, 2	1 of each
Laryngoscope Handle	1
Laryngoscope Blade size 1 & 2 Miller	1 of each
Catheter Mount	1
Child Magill Forceps	1
Face Masks with visors	2
Aprons	2

Critical Haemorrhage Kit	
Blast Bandage 4" X 72"	1
Olaes Bandage 6"	1
Combat action Tourniquets	2
SAM Pelvic Sling	1
Russell Chest seal	1
Kendrick Traction device (see diagram)	1
Chitogauze	1

Secondary Bag	
Paramedic Bag (blue) -	
E.T. Tubes size 6,7,8 (in pouch)	1 of each
NP Airways size 6,7,8	1 of each
Laryngeal Mask (size 3,4 & 5)	1
50 ml syringe	1
Flushes- PreFilled Syringe 10ml	3
Medi Swabs	5
Needles size 18g (red)23g(blue) & 25g(orange)	3 of each
Cannula size 14g,16g,18g,20g & 22g	2 of each
Syringe 1ml,2ml, & 10ml	1 of each
3 Way Tap	1

Giving Sets	2
500ml Glucose 10%	1
500 ml 0.9% Sodium Chloride	1
Intubation Board & Netting	
Swab (pack of 5)	1 pack
Conforming Bandage (small & large)	1 of each
Transpore Tape	1
Plasters	5
ET Tube Securing Tape	4
Medium Stylet	1
OP Airways size 1,2,3,4	1 of each
Laryngoscope Handle	2 of each
Laryngoscope Blades size 2,3,4,	2 of each
Syringe 20ml	1
E.T. Tubes size 7 & 8 (on board)	1 of each
Small lubricating gel	2
Adult Magill Forceps	1
Catheter Mount	1
Face Masks with visors	2
Aprons	2
HME Filter	1
Dressing Bag (green) -	
Autrauman dressing	6
Dressings size 3	6
Normasol Sachets 100ml	2
Swabs (pack of 5)	6
Conforming Bandage - Small/large	3 of each
Adhesive Bandage	2
Transpore Tape	2
Kool Pak	2
Triangular Bandages	6
Plasters	12
Nasal Bolsters	3
Tough cut shears	1
Middle Compartment -	
EZIO Kit	1
Sharps Box	1
Adult Quick Trach	1

Wrap around BP cuff (where available)	1
Ring Magnet	1
Emma	1
Airway adaptor	2
AA Batteries	2 spare

Maternity Bag	
Maternity Packs	2

Burns Bag	
Burns Gauze Tissue	2
Clingfilm roll	1
Sterile Water Bottles 1 litre	2

Entonox Bag	
Entonox ED Cylinder	1
Delivery Pipe & Valve	1
Air Cushioned child & Adult Mask	1 of each
Mouthpiece + Filter	3

Rescue Bag	
Boltcutters	1
Crow Bar	1
Warning Triangle	1
Debris Gloves	2 pairs
Goggles	2 pairs
Hacksaw	1
King Dick adjustable wrench	1
Screwdriver - flat	1
Screwdriver - phillips	1
Hammer	1
Pliers	1

Infection Control Bag	
Disposable Aprons	4
Overshoes	2 pairs

Overboots	2 pairs
Oversleeves	2 pairs
Mask with visors	4
FFP3 Masks	4
Goggles	2
Suit size M	1
Suit size L	1
Suit size XL	1

EZ IO Kit	
EZ IO gun	1
Yellow 45mm 15g EZIO needle	1
Pink 15mm 15g EZIO needle	1
Blue 25mm EZIO needle	1
3 way tap	1
Medi Swab	5
10 ml syringe	2
Pre Filled Syringe (10ml)	2

SRV Auxillary Bag (black, yellow handles)	
Left side Black Pouch -	
Clinical waste bags ,Tags & Labels	3 each
Waste pots (DOOP)	3
BM glucose test strips	1 box
Adult peak flow mouthpieces	5
Medi Swabs	10
Tympanic ear covers	1 box
Lancets	10
Aspirator tubing & Yankeur(Sm&Lg)	1 of each
Left side Blue Pouch -	
100% O2 masks - paed	2
Neb masks - paed	2
Cannulation pack (within the bag)	1
Right side Blue Pouch -	
Adult high flow 100% O2 mask	2
Adult med flow 40% O2 mask	2
Adult low flow 28% O2 mask(where available)	2

Neb masks - adult	2
FR2 AED/ LifePak 1000	
FR2 Defib or LifePak 1000	1
FR2 Defib pads (DF27NC)or LP 1000 Pads(DF20NC)	2
ECG electrodes (10 pack dots)	1
Razors	2
3 lead attachment	1
Spare AED Battery (FR2 Only)	1
Prompt card	1

Lifepack 12/15	
SpO2 probe and extension cable	1
NI BP cuff and tubing (regular adult)	1
ECG dots (10 dots)	2
Paediatric SPO2 Probe	1
Adult Defib pads (DF20NC)	1
3 lead ECG cable	1
Massimo Red Adapter	1
12 lead ECG cable	1
Defib trunk cable	1
FR2 to LP Yellow adaptor	1
Razors	2
Batteries (in situ)	1
ECG paper	1
FilterLine CO2 sampling line	2

Major Incident Bag	
Escape hoods	2
SMART Triage Pack	1
Nerve Agent Antidote	4
Atropine wrist slappers	4
Dosimeters with batteries	2
Whistle	1
NARU Major Incident initial action cards	1
CBRN Nerve Agent usage crib sheet	1
Dosimeter / Evacuation signals crib sheet	1

Drugs Bag – Please note the drugs bag contains one of every pouch attached bar the cardiac which we carry two of

Pouch	Drug	Packing level	Minimum level to leave distribution centre
Arrest	Adrenaline 1:10,000 PFS	4	4
	Amiodarone 300mg PFS	1	1
Cardiac	Aspirin tablets 300mg	16	8
	Atropine 600mcg inj	6	6
	Clopidogrel 75mg Tablets	20	12
	Furosemide 20mg/2ml	2	2
	GTN Spray	1	1
	Ondansetron 2mg/ml Injection	5	5
	Ticagrelor 90mg Tablets	14	6
Fluids	Activated Charcoal	1	1
	3 way tap	2	2
	50ml syringe	1	1
	IV Paracetamol 1g	4	2
	IV Giving set	4	4
	Sodium Chloride 0.9% 10ml amps	5	5
	Sodium Chloride 0.9% 1000ml	1	1
Hypo	Glucagon 1mg Injection	1	1
	Glucose 40% gel	2	2
	Glucose 10% IV	1	1
	IV Giving Set	1	1
	50ml syringe	1	1
	3 way tap	1	1
Specialist	Adrenaline 1:1000 amps	2	2
	Benzylpenicillin 600mg injection	2	2
	Calpol melts 6+	6	2
	Chlorphenamine 10mg injection	2	2
	Diazepam rectal 2.5mg	1	1
	Diazepam rectal 5mg	2	2
	Hydrocortisone 100mg injection	2	2
	Ibuprofen tablets 200mg	12	6
	Ibuprofen 100mg/5ml oral	2	2
	Paracetamol 500mg tablets	10	6
	Paracetamol 125mg/5ml solution	2	2
	Tranexamic acid 500mg injection	2	2
	Water For Injection 10ml amps	4	4
Respiratory	Adrenaline 1:1000 amps	2	2
	Ipratropium 250mcg Nebbs	10	6
	Naloxone 400mcg injection	4	2
	Dexamethasone 2mg Soluble	10	4

	Tabs		
	Salbutamol 2.5mg Nebules	15	6
	10ml Oral Syringe	2	2

Please note our pouch and bag system is under an extensive review and we will be making changes in 2019/20 when the full review has taken place.

2) How this stock is carried e.g. one response bag or split across a number of different bags.
Split across a number of different bags

3) The fully kitted weight of any bags that carry this equipment.
Please see table below:

Bag Type	Weight (KGs)
Primary Bag	8.2 incl Cylinder
Secondary Bag	9.2
Drugs Bag	6.5
Paediatric bag	3.45
Maternity Bag	1.5
Burns Bag	4.2
Entonox Bag	4.85 incl Cylinder
Rescue Bag	7.5
Infection Control Bag	1.75
Critical Haemorrhage Bag	1.8
SRV Auxiliary Bag	2.95 (SRVs Only)
EZIO Kit	1.05
Major Incident Bag	2.8
AED	4.0
Defibrillator	11.8

SRV = Single Response Vehicle (car)

4) What your current guidelines to staff is in regards to what equipment they take into every patient contact.

We do not have guidelines for 'every patient contact', this is down to staff discretion. In most emergency cases crews will bring a defibrillator and primary response bag, as well as any of the specialist bags that may be needed based on the dispatch information

I hope you find this information of some assistance.

If for any reason you are dissatisfied with our response, kindly in the first instance contact Caroline Smart, Information Governance Lead via the following email address:

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Yours sincerely

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