

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST RF224-17**

We can confirm East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust (EKHUFT) holds the information you have requested.

**As part of your trusts clinical response to emergency department sepsis presentations;**

**1. could you clarify whether antibiotics are administered under Patient group directives (PGD) or prescription only?**

EKHUFT can confirm that in relation to IV antibiotics for SEPSIS prescription, we do not administer under PGD, however we do allow the 'prescribing' and administration of antibiotics via PGD.

**2. Could you also please provide me a copy of your emergency department Sepsis proforma/flowchart/toolkit.**

We can confirm EKHUFT holds this information. Please refer to the attached Emergency department observation chart for Sepsis.

**(ALL INFORMATION PROVIDED AS AT OCTOBER 2017)**

