

**Reference Number:** FOI202223/089  
**From:** Private Individual  
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**Subject:** Clinical Systems - suppliers and contract information

Can you please forward responses to the questions below regarding your trust's Cardiology, E-Rostering (staffing), Order Communications, Pathology, and Pharmacy systems?

Please enter 'No System Installed' under supplier name if your trust does not use the system

**System definitions:**

- Cardiology – A specialist clinical information system is used for cardiology
- E-rostering (staffing) - An electronic staff management tool that enables trusts to plan staffing requirements, report on enhanced hours, overtime, sickness, TOIL and annual leave. Common suppliers include Allocate Software.
- Order Communications - Diagnostic tests are electronically ordered and communicated, rather than being ordered on paper
- Pathology - Pathology testing is managed electronically
- Pharmacy - Pharmacy orders and stock control is managed electronically

- Q1 System type – Cardiology
- Supplier name
  - System name -
  - Date installed -
  - Contract expiration -
  - Is this contract annually renewed? - Yes/No
  - Do you currently have plans to replace this system? - Yes/No
  - Procurement framework
  - Other systems it integrates with?
  - Total value of contract (£)
  - Notes - e.g. we are currently out to tender

- A1
- Meditech
  - Meditech 6.08
  - July 2015
  - July 2025
  - No
  - Yes – Upgrade to next version Meditech Expanse
  - This contract was not awarded through a framework agreement, it was awarded via an above threshold (OJEU) tender process.
  - All downstream systems, Clinical Radiology Information System (CRIS), Picture Archiving Communications System (PACS), Vital PACs Badgernet
  - £2.5 million
  - Cardiology documentation is included in EPR

- Q2 System type – E-Rostering (staffing)
- Supplier name

- b. System name -
- c. Date installed -
- d. Contract expiration -
- e. Is this contract annually renewed? - Yes/No
- f. Do you currently have plans to replace this system? - Yes/No
- g. Procurement framework
- h. Other systems it integrates with?
- i. Total value of contract (£)
- j. Notes - e.g. we are currently out to tender

- A2
- a. Allocate Software (via Softcat)
  - b. HealthRoster
  - c. 09/11/2020
  - d. 08/11/2022 with the option to extend for a further 2 years
  - e. No
  - f. No
  - g. HealthTrust Europe framework agreement for the Provision of Enterprise Level Information Communication Technology (ICT) Solutions
  - h. Electronic Staff Record (ESR) and the NHS Professionals Portal
  - i. £173,064 excl. VAT for the initial 2 year contract term
  - j. Not applicable

- Q3
- System type – Order Communications
- a. Supplier name
  - b. System name -
  - c. Date installed -
  - d. Contract expiration -
  - e. Is this contract annually renewed? - Yes/No
  - f. Do you currently have plans to replace this system? - Yes/No
  - g. Procurement framework
  - h. Other systems it integrates with?
  - i. Total value of contract (£)
  - j. Notes - e.g. we are currently out to tender

- A3
- a. Meditech
  - b. Meditech 6.08
  - c. July 2015
  - d. July 2025
  - e. No
  - f. Yes – Upgrade to next version Meditech Expanse
  - g. This contract was not awarded through a framework agreement, it was awarded via an above threshold (OJEU) tender process.
  - h. All downstream systems, CRIS, PACS, Vital PACs Badgernet
  - i. £2.5 million
  - j. Order Comms is included in Electronic Patient Record (EPR)

- Q4
- System type - Pathology
- a. Supplier name
  - b. System name -
  - c. Date installed -
  - d. Contract expiration -
  - e. Is this contract annually renewed? - Yes/No
  - f. Do you currently have plans to replace this system? - Yes/No

- g. Procurement framework
- h. Other systems it integrates with?
- i. Total value of contract (£)
- j. Notes - e.g. we are currently out to tender

- A4
- a. Meditech
  - b. Meditech 6.08
  - c. July 2015
  - d. July 2025
  - e. No
  - f. Yes – Upgrade to next version Meditech Expanse
  - g. This contract was not awarded through a framework agreement, it was awarded via an above threshold (OJEU) tender process.
  - h. All downstream systems, CRIS, PACS, Vital PACs Badgernet
  - i. £2.5 million
  - j. Pathology is included in EPR

- Q5 System type – Pharmacy
- a. Supplier name
  - b. System name -
  - c. Date installed -
  - d. Contract expiration -
  - e. Is this contract annually renewed? - Yes/No
  - f. Do you currently have plans to replace this system? - Yes/No
  - g. Procurement framework
  - h. Other systems it integrates with?
  - i. Total value of contract (£)
  - j. Notes - e.g. we are currently out to tender

- A5 System type – Pharmacy
- a. Careflow MM
  - b. Careflow MM
  - c. Information not held – this systems was installed over 20 years ago and we do not have an exact date
  - d. 30/09/2022
  - e. No – there are options for 3 and 5 year agreements
  - f. No
  - g. CITS/0019/0193.
  - h. Meditech
  - i. £21,546 annually
  - j. None