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Subject: Issues regarding the Trust's Electronic Patient Records (EPR) or Electronic Medical Records (EMR).

Q1 Do you monitor and log potential patient harms as a result of problems with your Electronic Patient Record (EPR) system?

A1 Yes.

Q2 Overall, how many letters to GPs, or documents, have not been sent out as a result of EPR problems?

A2 None reported.

Q3 Please give the date/s when you discovered these letters were not sent?

A3 Information not held - as per A2

Q4 Overall, how many incidents of potential patient harm have been connected to your EPR system?

A4 None

Q5 Overall, how many incidents involving EPR at your trust have been declared as "serious harm" or a "serious incident"?

A5 None

Q6 Overall, how many patient deaths have been connected to EPR?

A6 None

Q7 How much have you spent on your EPR system overall?

A7 Please see A9 for EPR system annual running costs.

Q8 How much do you anticipate spending on EPR in the next five years?

A8 The plans over the next 5 years will be aligned to strategy refresh, annual planning processes, and regional system wide schemes.

Q9 What is the anticipated cost of running the EPR system at your trust annually?

A9 The cost of the running the EPR system annually is £634,000.