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Subject: Details of the Trusts Decontamination Services

We would like to request the answers to the below questions, in relation to your decontamination services at the hospital trusts.

Q1 What is the age of the AER machines currently installed?

A1 [Less than 1 year](#)

Q2 What is the approximate year the AER machines will be replaced?

A2 [2033](#)

Q3 What is the manufacturer/brand of the current AER machines?

A3 [Getinge](#)

Q4 How many AER machines do you have across the sites?

A4 [3 x twin bowl](#)

Q5 Are you happy with your current supplier or are you experiencing problems?

A5 [Yes and currently no issues.](#)

Q6 How many scopes are you processing per week?

A6 [70-80 on average.](#)

Q7 What is the name and contact details of your decontamination manager?

A7 [Anthony Caseberry, Decontamination Lead, Anthony.Caseberry@alderhey.nhs.uk, Neil Herbert, Theatre & Endoscopy Manager, Neil.Herbert@alderhey.nhs.uk.](#)

Q8 As part of your contingency planning during a decant, replacement or refurbishment, would you or have you considered using a mobile decontamination unit?

A8 [Prior to and during refurbishment we used a mobile decontamination unit.](#)