

Ref: FOI/00493/CMICB
28 July 2023

Dear,

**Re: Freedom of Information Act 2000
IT Systems**

Thank you for your information request indicated in bold below, which has now been considered under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 by NHS Cheshire & Merseyside Integrated Care Board (ICB). I am able to provide you with the following information and responses.

Please note from 01 July 2022, Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs) were disestablished, and their statutory functions and responsibilities inherited by NHS Cheshire and Merseyside ICB.

Your Request:

Could you please let me know what system that you use and let me know if you have any current plans to implement a new one for the below:

- **Patient Administration Systems**
- **Document Management System**
- **Electronic Health Records**
- **Patient Management System**

Our Response:

NHS Cheshire & Merseyside ICB as an organisation does not use patient administration/management, document management or electronic health records systems and has no plans currently to implement such systems within the ICB itself.

Please note that these types of IT systems would typically be used within the wider Cheshire & Merseyside Integrated Care System by primary and secondary care providers, who would be responsible for implementing their own IT systems.

For information, please find listed below the NHS Trusts operating within Cheshire and Merseyside along with their contact details for Freedom of Information requests, should you wish to contact them directly for this information:

Alder Hey Children's NHS Foundation Trust
FOIRequests@alderhey.nhs.uk

Bridgewater Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust
bchft.foi@nhs.net

Cheshire and Wirral Partnership NHS Foundation Trust
cwp.foi@nhs.net

Clatterbridge Cancer Centre NHS Foundation Trust
ccf-tr.foi@nhs.net

Countess of Chester NHS Foundation Trust
foi.enquiries@coch.nhs.uk

East Cheshire NHS Trust
ecn-tr.foirequests@nhs.net

Liverpool Heart and Chest Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
FOIRequests@lhch.nhs.uk

Liverpool University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
FOIRequests@liverpoolft.nhs.uk

Liverpool Women's Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
FOI@lwh.nhs.uk

Mersey Care NHS Foundation Trust
FOI@merseycare.nhs.uk

Mid Cheshire NHS Foundation Trust
foi.foi@mcht.nhs.uk

St. Helen's and Knowsley Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust
foirequests@sthk.nhs.uk

Southport and Ormskirk Hospitals NHS Trust
soh-tr.foi@nhs.net

The Walton Centre NHS Foundation Trust
enquiries@thewaltoncentre.nhs.uk

Warrington and Halton Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
WHH.FOI@nhs.net

Wirral Community Health and Care NHS Foundation Trust
wcnt.foi@nhs.net

Wirral University Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
wih-tr.AccessstoInformationOffice@nhs.net

Should you require any further information or clarification regarding this response or do not feel that your request has been answered as you would expect, please contact us to discuss.

We also wish to take this opportunity to inform you that, where you are not satisfied with the response to your request for information, a formal complaints and internal review process is available.

This can be formally requested by emailing foi@cheshireandmerseyside.nhs.uk and must be done within a reasonable time period (3 calendar months) from the date this response was issued.

Where you remain dissatisfied with our review under the Freedom of Information Act or the Environmental Information Regulations, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioners Office (ICO) for a review of your appeal decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted our complaints procedure. The ICO can be contacted at;

The Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF
www.ico.gov.uk

Should you need any further clarification or assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us quoting the above FOI reference.