

Tuesday 1 July 2025

Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on Friday 20 June 2025. I am pleased to confirm the following.

1.What wristband printers are you currently using?

Zebra ZD510-HC Wristband Printer

2.What wristbands are you buying?

Zebra ZBand Ultrasoft Wristbands

3.How many wristband printers do you have?

62

4.How many wristbands do you purchase per year?

FY24/25 approx. volume ordered 92,500 individual wristbands (this is across Adult, Child, and Neonatal wristbands)

5.What is your annual spend on wristbands?

FY24/25 approx. spend £12k (this is across Adult, Child, and Neonatal wristbands)

6.Are you in contract for your wristbands?

If Yes, Please advise the supplier and
If Yes, please advise when this contract ends

There is no contract in place for wristbands.

7.Who in the Trust is responsible for the purchasing of wristband printers?

IT Department

8.Who in the Trust is responsible for purchasing wristbands?

The Materials Management team places orders to a central storage location, from which items are subsequently distributed and cross-charged to the requesting areas.

9.Are your wristbands GS1 compliant?

No

If no, are you planning to become GS1 compliant in the next year?

No, they are not, awaiting EPR provider to comply with ISN

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If you need any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us at the address above.

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Team Lead

For and on behalf of Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

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