

Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 31 March 2023.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

- 1. How many patients of [Trust Name] are using or have been prescribed the following medical devices for use in their home?**
 - a. Nebuliser**
 - b. Oxygen concentrator** 224 patients currently on oxygen concentrators in MK
 - c. Suction**
 - d. Ventilator or non-invasive ventilation (BiPAP or CPAP)** Approx 1700
 - e. Feeding pump**
 - f. Powered hospital bed**
 - g. Electric wheelchair**
 - h. Haemodialysis machine**
 - i. Body drier**
 - j. Chair lift.**

- 2. What, if any, rebate or refund schemes are made available by Milton Keynes University Hospital NHS Foundation Trust for patients in respect of the energy costs they incur running the above devices?**

NHS England refund the electricity cost to the patient of running the concentrator. This is currently at market rate.

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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 Co-ordinator
For and on behalf of Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

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