

Thursday 27 February 2025

Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on Monday 27 January 2025. I am pleased to confirm the following.

Can I please request through Freedom of Information the following information:

The amount of waste generated within the last year for each of the below categories

General 284.68 tonnes

Recycling 266.68 tonnes

Food Waste 47.28 tonnes

Confidential 60.362 tonnes

High Temperature Incineration (clinical) 147 tonnes

Alternative Treatment (clinical) 220 tonnes

Offensive (clinical) 218 tonnes

The amount of waste Spend within the last year for each of the below categories

General

Recycling

Food Waste

Confidential

High Temperature Incineration (clinical)

Alternative Treatment (clinical)

Offensive (clinical)

This information is commercially sensitive

Contract Start Dates for

General Waste Services

Recycling Services

Food Waste Services
Confidential Services
High Temperature Incineration (clinical) Services
Alternative Treatment (clinical) Services
Offensive (clinical) Services
1.2.18 for all above services

Contract End Dates for

General Waste Services
Recycling Services
Food Waste Services
Confidential Services
High Temperature Incineration (clinical) Services
Alternative Treatment (clinical) Services
Offensive (clinical) Services
31.1.25 extended to 31.5.25

Waste Company who holds the current contract

General Waste Services
Recycling Services
Food Waste Services
Confidential Services
High Temperature Incineration (clinical) Services
Alternative Treatment (clinical) Services
Offensive (clinical) Services
Shred Station for confidential as from Jan 2025 / Grondon for Bulk General / Tradebe Healthcare LTD for all other.

And also information on the below.

Name and Contact Details for the Waste Manager associated to the Trust

Name and Contact Details for the Sustainability Lead associated to the Trust

Name and Contact Details for the Procurement Lead associated to the Trust

Name and Contact Details for the Infection Prevention Control Lead associated with the Trust

MKUH does not give out the names of staff members

Do the Trust have a reusable sharps solution in place to reduce the amount of single use plastic that is incinerated in traditional practices?

Yes

Are there any onsite treatment facilities located on Trust premises which would mitigate the need for ensuing carbon footprint through the road miles that it takes to take the waste away.

Not currently

This information will provide me clarity within my research so that I can ascertain trends across multiple Trusts so any information you can provide me would be greatly appreciated

Kind regards and thank you in advance,

If you are unhappy with the information received in response to this request, please address your complaint to the Patient Affairs Office at Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust, Standing Way, Eaglestone, Milton Keynes MK6 5LD. If, after exhausting our internal process, you are still unhappy with the information received, you may write to the Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF.

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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