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Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 01 February 2018.

I am pleased to confirm the following:-

Please would you tell me the number of units of the following products purchased by your hospital over the past 12 months:

The only produce used by the Trust is **Chlorhexidine 2% in IPA Licenced Medicine (ChloraPrep)**, total units of **15,425** from 01/02/2017 to 31/01/2018,

Please would you tell me the pre-operative skin preparation (ie the name of the specific product) that you use for the following procedures? Please will you specify whether the manufacturer and whether the product is a biocide or a licenced medicine.

Abdominal hysterectomy
Breast surgery
Caesarean section
Gastric surgery
Hip replacement
Knee replacement
Spinal surgery

All of the above use chloroprep with tint 2%, supplied by Carefusion UK 244 LTD - I believe this is a licenced product.

Hip replacement
Knee replacement

The above also use 10%w/w Alcoholic tincture, trade name Videne, supplier ECOLAB LTD & Hydrex Clear chlorhexidine gluconate 0.5% W/V in 70% V/V DEB – I believe this is a licenced product.

Hip replacement
Knee replacement

The above also use Hydrex clear chlorhexidine gluconate 0.5% w/v in 70% v/v DEB with red staining dye 12ml bottle , supplier ECOLAB LTD. I believe this is a licenced product.

Hip replacement
Knee replacement

The above also use Antiseptic Iodine 10% w/w cutaneous solution (iodinated Povidone) trade name Videne- I believe this is a licenced product, supplied by Ecolab

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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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