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Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 18 April 2018.

- 1. What is the name of your CCG/Trust/Health board?**
Milton Keynes University Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
- 2. How many of the people in your community are diagnosed with diabetes? (Please indicate numerical value):**
 - **Type 1 Diabetes:**
 - **Type 2 Diabetes:****If unknown differentiation, please indicate total amount:**

The Trust does not record information relating to the Community. You will need to contact Central and North West London for this their email is freedomofinformation.cnwl@nhs.net

- 2.1 What role does your CCG/Trust/Health board play in the reimbursement process for digital solutions?**

The Trust is unsure what you mean by this question – reimburse who? I can confirm that as an NHS Trust any digital solutions we provide are free to patients.

- 3 If you are not the direct decision maker of reimbursement, can your CCG/Trust/Health board still pay for medical products to give access to patients?**

As above we are not sure what reimbursement you are referring to if you wish to clarify further we will see if we can provide any more information.

- 3.1 Who affects the decision-making process of reimbursement decisions for digital health solutions in the UK? Please specify what power they hold in the process. (If more than one, please rank them by influence, 1 being the most influential).**

Please see above

- 4. How would you describe the interest of the stakeholders you identified above? (e.g. cost reduction, care improvement,...)?**

Please see above

- 5 What criteria are most important for your CCG/Trust/Health board when commissioning digital solutions (e.g. cost, newness, effectiveness,...)? Please rank the criteria, 1 being the most important.**

Please see the Trust website for Trust priorities at www.mkhospital.nhs.uk

6. Are you interested in partnerships with pharmaceutical companies? If yes, please what you are seeking from such partnerships.

No

7. How does your CCG/Trust/Health board evaluate whether to commission a product for diabetes care?

The Trust apply for funding via the individual patients relevant CCG (GP dependent). When applying, we take into account, NICE Guidance, the individual's ability to manage the product, the individual's consent, Consultant agreement, and cost vs quality of life/impact on diabetes.

8. Does your CCG/Trust/Health board have a policy on the use of health apps?

If yes, please specify the health policy(ies):

If no, please provide if and when this will be established:

No, although we do make use of some apps.

9. Does your CCG/Trust/Health board currently have a budget to use for health apps? If no, please provide if and when this will be established:

No

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Yours sincerely,

Freedom Of Information Co-ordinator

For and on behalf of Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

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