

## **Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

I am pleased to confirm the following.

### **Details of the brand(s) of infant formula milk provided in maternity units and the form in which it is provided (e.g. powdered, ready-made bottles, ready-made bottles with teets etc.)**

Cow and Gate Nutriprim  
Cow and Gate Premium  
SMA Gold Milk

All of the above come in ready-made bottles

### **Details of your infant formula milk provider, the amount paid and volume received in the last available financial year, and details of whether the infant formula milk is purchased from them at full price, a reduced rate (including details of the reduction if applicable) or received free of charge.**

Cow & Gate Nutriprim: Danone via NHS Supplies - 1824 bottles  
Cow & Gate Premium: Danone via NHS Supplies - 27,552 bottles  
SMA: Nestle via AAH - 738 bottles

Please note costings are exempt under Section 43 Freedom of Information Act. Section 43 is a qualified exemption, and we are required to assess as objectively as possible whether the balance of public interest favours disclosing or withholding the information. Our view that section 43 applies to your request is based on the judgement that the Trusts ability to purchase products at a competitive price would be compromised by disclosure.

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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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