

Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 06 May 2021.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

- 1. How many endoscopy procedure rooms do you have in your Trust? Are patients able to be separated by gender from admission through to recovery or do you use single sex lists?**

Number of endoscopy procedure rooms we have in the trust are 4 and we run single sex lists.

- Are patients able to be separated by gender (e.g. gender specific pre-assessment and recovery rooms)?**

Yes, single sex lists but if an emergency patient of the opposite gender needs to be added then we have pod cubicles to keep genders separate.

- Do you use single sex lists? Yes.**

- 2. Approximately, how old is your endoscopy decontamination suite/ when was it last refurbished? Will the Trust need to procure new scopes in the next 12 months?**

The unit was built November 2009 so is 11.5 years old.

Approximate age of endoscopy decontamination suite / time since last refurbishment 11.5 years old and not refurbished since.

- Will the Trust need to procure new scopes in the next 12 months? No**

- 3. Have you used a mobile endoscopy service in the last 12 months? Approximately how many endoscopy procedures were undertaken in a mobile unit over the last 12 months?**

We have not used a mobile endoscopy service.

- Mobile endoscopy service used in last 12 months? No**

- Approximate # procedures undertaken in a mobile endoscopy unit in the last 12 months? Nil**

4. **Is in-house endoscopy capacity in the Trust near or fully utilised?** Yes

- **In-house endoscopy capacity fully utilised?** Yes, endoscopy capacity is fully utilised with current establishment.

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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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