

Monday 16 June 2025

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

Thank you for your request for information which we received on Friday 6 June 2025.  
I am pleased to confirm the following.

**1. Do any hospitals within your trust provide a thoracoscopy services (rigid and/or semi-rigid)? Please specify which site(s).**

Rigid. MKUH site.

**2. If so, please specify:**

**The type(s) of thoracoscopy available if known (rigid and or semi-rigid).**

Rigid

**Please provide the manufacturer and model of the thoracoscopy equipment currently in use.**

Olympus LFT 260

**The location where these procedures are carried out (e.g., operating theatres, endoscopy unit, procedural room, etc.).**

Endoscopy

**The department responsible for these procedures.**

Booked by Endoscopy admissions

**The number of thoracoscopy procedures performed annually (if available).**

Approximately 5-6 per year.

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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 Team Lead  
For and on behalf of Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

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