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Dear

## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION - CARDIOPULMONARY EXERCISE TESTING SYSTEMS

I write in response to your request for information in relation to Cardiopulmonary Exercise Testing Systems.

### Question:

- I'm interested to know how many Cardiopulmonary Exercise Testing Systems (CPET/CPEX) are in use throughout the trust.

For each system I'd like to know:

1. The number of current devices in use
2. Manufacturer and type of device
3. Which hospitals are they in
4. Which departments are they in
5. Date of installation

### Answer:

#### Jaeger

1. The number of current devices in use - 1
2. Manufacturer and type of device - Jaeger CPX
3. Which hospitals are they in - Royal Hospital for Children and Young People
4. Which departments are they in - Paediatric Respiratory Physiology
5. Date of installation - March 2020

#### Medical Graphics

1. The number of current devices in use - 3
2. Manufacturer and type of device - Medical Graphics Ultima Cardio2
3. Which hospitals are they in – Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh, Western General Hospital
4. Which departments are they in – 2 in Respiratory Physiology. 1 in Vascular.
5. Date of installation – January 2019 (Respiratory x2), July 2021 (Vascular x1)

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I hope the information provided helps with your request

If you are unhappy with our response to your request, you do have the right to request us to review it. Your request should be made within 40 working days of receipt of this letter, and we will reply within 20 working days of receipt. If our decision is unchanged following a review and you remain dissatisfied with this, you then have the right to make a formal complaint to the Scottish Information Commissioner within 6 months of receipt of our review response. You can do this by using the Scottish Information Commissioner's Office online appeals service at [www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal](http://www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal). If you remain dissatisfied with the Commissioner's response you then have the option to appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law.

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Yours sincerely

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