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Email:

Dear,

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI 210504.

You requested the following information, please also see our response below:

I am trying to find information on the prehospital use of CPAP with an ambulance trust. The JRCALC states that CPAP should be utilised when equipment and suitably trained clinicians are available. The questions I have are below:

- Do SECamb vehicles carry CPAP?

Yes

If you do carry CPAP:

- What vehicles would they be on? (DCA, FRV/RRV)

Critical Care Paramedic Single Responder Vehicle (SRV)

- which ambulance staff are trained to use CPAP? (Paramedics, techs etc)

Critical Care Paramedic

I hope you find this information of some assistance.

If for any reason you are dissatisfied with our response, kindly in the first instance contact Caroline Smart, Head of Information Governance via the following email address:

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Yours sincerely

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