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Dear

Firstly, please accept my apologies for the delay you have experienced regarding this request. At the time of writing the Trust continues to receive high volumes of FOI requests, many of which have been complex and time consuming.

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI 231033 in which you requested the following information

What geographic area are you in?

**South East Coast Ambulance service: Covers a geographical area of 3,600 square miles (Brighton & Hove, East Sussex, West Sussex, Kent, Surrey, and North East Hampshire)**

Are you connected to any other trusts, and if so, how?

**Please see following link for details of our involvement in the Southern Ambulance Services Collaboration. [The Southern Ambulance Services Collaboration - NHS South East Coast Ambulance Service \(secamb.nhs.uk\)](http://www.secamb.nhs.uk)**

What is your current financial strength - green, yellow, red, etc?

**The Trust does not RAG rate it's financial strength.**

Please can you confirm the names/job titles of your executive team? i.e CIO, deputy CIOs, CCIO, CNIO, etc.

**The names and job titles of SECamb Employees in the public domain can be found on our website here: [Welcome to South East Coast Ambulance Service | NHS \(secamb.nhs.uk\)](http://www.secamb.nhs.uk)**

Do you share your domain with any other trust or plan to in the foreseeable future?

**No**

Which Electronic Health Record EHR supplier are you currently using and for how long has it been established?

**SECamb renewed the EHR Contract in January with Doc-Works following Tender activity last year.**

Are you considering switching within the next 3 years?

**Potentially we will be looking at switching in the next 3 years.**

Do you currently have an EHR partner if you are thinking of procuring a new system?  
**The tender mentioned above combined paper and Electronic patient records. We are currently not looking at changing this.**

Does your trust have an ED department? If so, what is the bed count?  
**As we are an ambulance service we do not have an ED**

Does your trust have maternity services?  
**No**

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:  
FOI@secamb.nhs.uk

In the spirit of being open and transparent I have provided contact details for the Information Commissioners Office (ICO) should you wish to make a formal complaint.

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Information Commissioner's Office  
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Once again, please accept my apologies for the inconvenience caused in relation to completing your request.

Yours sincerely,

**Freedom of Information Coordinator**  
South East Coast Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust