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I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI 240233.

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

Community Equipment Services – pressure area care provision

- a) I would like to know what mattresses and cushions (from low-risk to pressure relieving) are used in the community equipment service
- b) Amount of the mattress/Cushions in use
- c) For each of these mattresses/cushions, how many of each are disposed of and replaced per year
- d) For each of these mattresses/cushions, please detail which company they are acquired/bought from
- e) Type of contract (e.g. NHS SC or ADHOC etc)
- f) Please detail when did each of these contracts start? (If no formal contract, then please detail when purchasing from the company began)
- g) How long is each contract for?
- h) Annual replacement spend

The Trust does not have any pressure area cushions/mattresses.

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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