

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

RF24-115

Request:

1. Who is responsible for your cleaning audit surveys?
2. Can you outline how cleaning audit surveys are completed?
3. What software, if any, is used to complete and report on cleaning surveys?
4. If you use software to complete cleaning audits, what was the original contract start and end date?
5. If you use software to complete cleaning audits, what was the contract cost per year?
6. If you use software to complete cleaning audits, how was this procured (Direct award/tender etc).

Response:

We can confirm East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust (EKHUFT) holds the information you have requested.

1. 2gether Support Solutions Ltd staff carry out the audit surveys.
2. The staff have a clear schedule for the year for all areas with the frequency pre-allocated per week. They book in audits with the clinical teams in advance and varying the time and date. The audit is then carried out accompanied by a band 6 member of staff or above. Results are published via email and online via a shared Teams portal each day. Rectifications are carried out as per the timelines within the cleaning standards.
3. Micad Audit.
4. October 2022 for one year and then renewed for another year.
5. £10,790 per annum
6. Tender.

(DATE OF RESPONSE: 29 FEBRUARY 2024)