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I am responding to your request for information received **6th December 2022**. This has been treated as a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I am now enclosing a response which is attached to the end of this letter. Please do not hesitate to contact me on the contact details above if you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely,



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Request:

Question 1: Have ELFT seen an increase of cases of fires caused using e-burns (I assume these are all reported in Datix)?

Answer: East London NHS Foundation Trust have not recorded any fire incidents in the years 2021 to 2022 from Datix.

Question 2: During the Dinner Lady Vaping Pilot did ELFT see any cases of fires caused by these devices?

Answer: There were no fire incidents recorded from the pilot in 2020 during the pandemic.

Question 3: Which e-cigs can now be used on ELFT wards – just eburns and dinner lady or can patients bring their own versions?

Answer: Dinnerlady and MOTI PIIN vapes are used in our inpatient setting. Patients purchase e-cigs that are permissible in line with the ELFT e-cig policy. Patients can bring their own vapes in line with the ELFT e-cig policy.

Question 4: Have you experienced any cases of patients using cannabis components within the vaping devices?

Answer: East London NHS Foundation Trust can confirm there were no cases of patients using cannabis components within vaping devices reported.



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