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I am responding to your request for information received 31 July 2023. 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,

Information Rights Coordinator

If you are dissatisfied with the Trust's response to your FOIA request then you should contact us and we will arrange for an internal review of this decision.

If you remain dissatisfied with the decision following our response to your complaint, you may write to the Information Commissioner for a decision under Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

Tel: 0303 123 1113
Web: www.ico.org.uk

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Request: In line with the Freedom of Information Act (2000) we would like to understand the type of models, capacity and waiting times for pulmonary rehabilitation (PR) given to inpatients in your hospitals. We would be grateful if you could respond to the following questions:

Question 1: How many weeks PR do you offer as standard?

Answer: The Trust has reviewed question 1 of your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000.

Section 1(1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 states:

*Any person making a request for information to a public authority is entitled—
(a) to be informed in writing by the public authority whether it holds information of the description specified in the request, and
(b) if that is the case, to have that information communicated to them.*

East London NHS Foundation Trust is primarily a Mental Health and Community Health Trust and therefore does not provide pulmonary rehabilitation to inpatients. The Trust is therefore unable to provide a response.

Question 2: What % of your PR referrals have already undergone PR over the last full year July 1st 2022 - July 1st 2023?

Answer: Not applicable.

Question 3: What are your current waiting times for PR?

Answer: Not applicable.

Question 4: What PR service models do you offer and what is the patient capacity? (see below):

Model	Yes or no	Capacity of patients per class
In person, face to face		
In person, face to face plus an app		
Online and in real time		
Via an app used at home at the patient's convenience		

Answer: Not applicable.



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