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I am responding to your request for information received 25 August 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,



Keshia Harvey  
Senior Information Governance Manager - Compliance

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](http://www.ico.org.uk)

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**Request:** I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request some information I am interested in. This is 3 separate areas.

**Question 1:** A list of all current and past audits and quality improvement projects started within the urology and general surgical department over the last 10 years.

**Please provide date started, date completed, title, objectives, summary, action plan, whether the action plan was completed, and any closing of the loop/repeat.**

**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 as such does not provide urology or general surgical services described in this request. We are therefore unable to provide a response.

**Question 2:** A list of all current clinical guidelines within the field of urology.

**Please provide a summary line in a table for each guideline, when it was first created, last updated, frequency of updates**

**Please provide a copy of each guideline in word document or pdf form.**

**Answer:** The Trust has reviewed question 2 of your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000.

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**Question 3:** A list of clinical chemistry/electrolyte guidelines (e.g. hyperkalaemia, hypokalaemia etc)

**Please provide a summary line in a table of each guideline, when it was first created, last updated, frequency of updates**

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**Answer:** The Trust has reviewed question 3 of your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000.

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