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I am responding to your request for information received 17 November 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:

Question 1: Please advise what software/systems you use for managing medical devices to be compliant with MHRA Guidance Jan 2021? See link [Safeguarding public health \(publishing.service.gov.uk\)](https://www.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/90121/safeguarding-public-health-guidance-jan-2021.pdf)

Answer: The Trust has a contract with Avensys for our medical device servicing, maintenance and repair.

Additionally, The Trust also has a bespoke contract with Enabled Living for Tower Hamlets Community Health Services.

Question 2: If applicable, how long is the contract and when does it expire (month and year)?

Answer: Please see table below:

Contract	Contract Duration	Contract Expiry
Avensys	Three years	May 2025
Enabled Living	Four years	May 2026

Question 3: What is the annual budget for the system listed in response to question 1?

Answer: The Trust has reviewed question 3 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 does not hold the information requested. The Trust therefore is unable to provide a response.

Question 4: Please advise on the name and contact for the person responsible for ensuring compliance with the MHRA guidance quoted above.

Answer: Dr Mohit Ventakaram, Executive Director of Commercial Development.
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