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Our reference: FOI DA6354

I am responding to your request for information received 12 November 2025. 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:

Contract 1 – Wide Area Network (WAN) Services (Including HSCN)

Question 1: WAN Provider(s)

Please confirm the main supplier(s) for your WAN services. If this information is not available, please explain why.

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

Section 21(1) of the FOI Act states:

(1) Information which is reasonably accessible to the applicant otherwise than under section 1 is exempt information.

The information requested is accessible here:

Question 2:

https://www.elft.nhs.uk/sites/default/files/2025-07/anon_response_-_foi_da6098.pdf

Question 2: Contract Expiry Date

**Please provide the expiry date for each WAN contract (DD/MM/YYYY or MM/YYYY acceptable).
If rolling, please state the terms.**

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: Contract Description

Please provide a brief summary of the scope of each WAN contract.

Answer: Software-Defined Wide Area Network (SD-WAN) (currently in progress) and Internet Protocol Virtual Private Network (IPVPN) (being replaced by SD-WAN).

Question 4: Number of Sites Covered

Please indicate the number of sites supported by the WAN. An approximation is acceptable.

Answer: Approximately five sites currently covered on SD-WAN and 95 sites on IPVPN.

Question 5: Annual Average Spend

What is the annual average spend for WAN services? Please break this down by provider if more than one.



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Answer: £1,204,306.00

Question 6: Procurement Route

Please provide details of how each WAN contract was procured. If a framework was used, please include the framework name and reference number.

Answer: Crown Commercial – RM1045

Question 7: Responsible Contact Person(s)

Please provide the full contact details for the person(s) responsible for each of the above contracts, including:

Full name

Job title

Direct phone number

Email address

If full details cannot be provided, the job title alone is acceptable.

Answer: Kevin Curnow, Chief Finance Officer.
Tel: 0207655 4000.
Email: kevincurnow@nhs.net



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