

Feedback from consultation on mandating patient-level costing for the Community sector

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1. Introduction

- Between December 2020 and January 2021, NHS England and NHS Improvement consulted on proposals to mandate NHS Foundation Trusts and NHS Trusts to record and report the costs of community services activity at a patient level. See Section 5 for details of the trusts covered by the mandation.
- 2. Information about the consultation was published on the NHS England website, on the Open Learning Platform for NHS trusts, and in Costing and Provider Newsletters. Trusts were able to complete the online survey on the Open Learning Platform; other non-NHS Trusts and organisations were able to respond via the NHS England and NHS Improvement mailbox.

| NHS community provider | NHS integrated provider | Other NHS | Other Non- NHS | External organisations | Total |
|--|--|--------------|-------------------|------------------------|-----------------|
| 9 (47% of community- only providers) | 26 (17% of integrated providers) | 1 | 2 | 1 | 39 ¹ |

3. We received 39 responses from five types of organisation:

- 4. The consultation asked for views on two proposals:
 - Proposal 1 To what extent do you agree with mandating patient-level data for community health services at a patient level in line with the methodologies and approaches in the Healthcare Costing Standards for England, from 2021/22?
 - Proposal 2 Do you agree with the proposal to cease collection of reference costs for community activity from 2020/21?
- 5. In response to the consultation:
 - 23 trusts (66% of respondents) agreed with making recording and reporting of patient-level cost data for community health activity mandatory from

¹ The 35 Trusts equates to 20.6% of all trusts affected, which is mid-way between the percentage of trusts who responded to the mental health consultation in 2019/20 (24%) and the 43% wo responded to the acute mandation consultation in 2017.

2021/22. The key benefits highlighted included: consistency of costing across organisations, the ability to benchmark costs and the ability to link to acute providers, thus improving the accuracy and completeness of patient data.

- 25 trusts (71%) agreed with ceasing collection of reference costs from 2020/21 – those in favour believe that this would reduce some of the burden whilst also improving engagement in their organisations with PLICS.
- 6. Of the four other respondents:
 - 3 participants (75% of non-NHS Trust respondents) agreed with making recording and reporting of patient-level cost data for community health activity mandatory from 2021/22. The other respondent neither agreed not disagreed.
 - 2 participants (50%) agreed with ceasing collection of reference costs from 2020/21. One did not answer, and one did not agree.
- 7. After considering the consultation results, the impact assessment and the mandation project, NHS England and NHS Improvement has decided to implement the proposals to mandate the collection of patient-level costs for community health services from 2021/22.
- 8. All NHS Trusts and NHS Foundation Trusts which provide community health services (whether it is the trust's main service or not) will be mandated to record and report costs at a patient level, consistent with the relevant costing standards from 2021/22. The following services will remain collected via workbook until such time as underlying collection issues/currencies are agreed:
 - Cancer Multi-Disciplinary Team Meetings
 - Community midwifery, home births and maternity ultrasound scans
 - Chemotherapy and Radiotherapy
 - Rehabilitation
 - Specialist Palliative care
 - Renal Dialysis
 - Wheelchair services
 - Directly Accessed Diagnostic and Pathology Services.

- 9. Section 3 of this document summarises the feedback we received from the consultation and our responses to it.
- 10. In Section 4, we have included the responses to the additional question included in the consultation on the future direction of travel for costing in this sector. This has been provided for information only.
- We would like to thank everyone who responded, especially in providing information around the future option to increase the frequency of collections. We will take this into account in any future review on the frequency of cost collections.
- 12. We are also working with colleagues in NHS Digital to move to a single collection of the national cost data as soon as possible, with the aim of reducing the burden of cost collections on colleagues in trusts.

2. Consultation feedback

| Response | To what extent do you agree with mandating patient-level data for community services in line with the methodologies and approaches in the Healthcare Costing Standards for England, from 2021/22 | | |
|----------------------------|---|-----|--|
| | Number | % | |
| Agree strongly | 1 | 3% | |
| Agree | 25 | 64% | |
| Neither agree nor disagree | 1 | 3% | |
| Disagree | 11 | 28% | |
| Disagree strongly | 1 | 3% | |

| Response | Do you agree with the proposal to cease collection of reference costs for community from 2020/21? | | |
|--------------|---|-------|--|
| | Number | % | |
| Yes | 27 | 69.2% | |
| No | 10 | 25.6% | |
| Not answered | 2 | 5.1% | |

3. Response to comments

Comment 1

You said

There are significant concerns regarding:

- The underlying availability, completeness, and accuracy of community activity data.
- Not all trusts have systems in place to collect activity data at a patient level.
- Not all data sets used by PLICS are mandated.
- 13. Issues with the underlying data was the main reason that mandation was delayed from 2020/21 to 2021/22. While NHS England and NHS Improvement understands that the accuracy of data is a significant issue, the voluntary submission of PLICS has already led to an improvement in the accuracy of data submitted to NHS Digital – improving from 42% in October 2019 to 62% in May 2020².
- A number of other trusts specifically stated that mandating PLICS for community services, though difficult, will raise the profile of community at trusts and will enable more emphasis to be put on collecting and validating community data.
- 15. As with other sectors, where trusts have difficulties in collecting data at the required level, NHS England and NHS Improvement will work with them to support the development of the underlying national dataset requirements for electronic clinical data, improving future cost submissions and considering exclusion of costs where necessary. Such exclusions will be reviewed on an individual basis and trusts will be required to have an action plan in place to address this for future submissions.

² Review of NHS Digital data quality reports <u>https://digital.nhs.uk/data-and-information/publications/statistical/community-services-statistics-for-children-young-people-and-adults</u>

You said

The complexity and volume of the costing standards is a real issue, especially as trusts are at different stages of mandation depending on their main service. There have been a number of changes over the past few years and there are concerns that trusts will not be able to comply with all the required standards, especially given the impact of COVID-19.

- 16. As with other sectors, it is not expected that all trusts will be able to comply with standards for the first few years. There will be a transition pathway document³ (over a three year period) which has been updated for the 2021 publication of the approved costing guidance, in advance of the start of the costed year (2021/22); this will form the mandatory collection in 2022. Therefore, trusts will be able to identify where they are not compliant with the standards and record this in their Integrated Costing Assurance Log (ICAL) and as part of their Board Assurance process.
- 17. Trusts will be expected to have a plan to address areas where they are noncompliant, and progress should be reviewed by the trust through their internal assurance arrangements. This will also be picked up through the Costing Assessment Tool (CAT) and the Costing Assurance Programme, with the findings used to identify what additional support can be provided.
- 18. However, the Costing team will continue to work with trusts to help them move towards full compliance with the standards, as has happened and continues to happen in other areas.
- 19. The volume of the documentation is also under review, and the team will continue to refine and reduce the size of the standards. As with other sectors, additional tools and guidance will be produced to help trusts implement and comply with the approved costing guidance, as well as reducing the burden on costing staff.

³ This will be included in the <u>Approved Costing Guidance</u>

You said

Trusts are concerned about the impact of COVID-19 on the current cost collections, with staff being redeployed. Extending PLICS to community services, though a small area of spend for most trusts, significantly increases the burden on costing staff.

- 20. The Costing team have recently collected feedback on the impact of COVID-19 on the 2020/21 cost collection window, which will be published imminently. Guidance will also be published on how to cost the impact of COVID-19 and, as with the 2019/20 NCC, additional support will be available for trusts before and during the collection window.
- 21. As the mandation is for 2021/22, with the first collection in summer of 2022, it is expected that the impact of COVID-19 will have significantly reduced. Additionally, there will be another voluntary collection for 2020/21 in late 2021 or early 2022 with NHS Digital, which will allow more trusts to trial PLICS for community services, something which has been very beneficial in this and other sectors.

Comment 4

You said

The amount of spend on community services at most trusts and nationally is a small percentage of NHS spend. Trusts are concerned that any benefits of mandating PLICS for community services will be outweighed by the time and cost in implementing it, as well as taking more time away from validation of all costing data at a time when staff are being redeployed.

22. This is the last sector not costed or collected at a patient level. Having a single level of collection (with plans for a single collection for each trust) will mean trusts only need to have one costing system and will ensure consistency on how costs are apportioned across all services provided.

- 23. The collection of data at a patient level is a key part of the Long-Term Plan, including the move towards system-wide provision of services, allowing pathways to be planned and resourced across providers, so ensuring funding follows the patient. Patient-level data will allow better benchmarking of costs, both within organisations, but also across providers, to help identify efficiencies and new ways of working. As noted, we will continue to provide support for trusts in both 2020/21 and 2021/22 as the mandation comes into effect.
- 24. Where PLICS has been successfully implemented, making the validation of costing data (including costs, drivers of apportionments and activity data) part of the "business as usual" of trusts improves the accuracy of the data. Once established, the process can be automated, allowing the skill and knowledge of the costing practitioners to support service change in their organisation. This also allows the costing staff to focus on areas of concern or outliers from national or local benchmarking rather than on validating the underlying data.

You said

There are risks in ceasing the collection of aggregate data before PLICS is established for community services and the quality of data is sufficient for accurate costing.

25. Though this is a risk, other respondents have stated that this will allow them to focus on producing a single return, improve consistency of costing and put community services on a par with acute and mental health services, as well as increase the scrutiny and production of activity data. As noted, it will also mean trusts only need a single system, producing data at one level, except for the small number of services collected at an aggregate level.

You said

Given the impact of COVID-19 and recent mandation of PLICS for mental health services, could:

- the mandation be pushed back by a year, or
- a phased mandation be put in place

to allow trusts additional time to address the data quality issues and manage the impact of the pandemic on their staff?

- 26. As the first mandated collection will be in 2022, with another voluntary collection undertaken with NHS Digital support before that, NHS England and NHS Improvement believe that will allow ample time for trusts to prepare to submit patient-level data.
- 27. The process has already been delayed a year, and most of the respondents indicated that another delay will only undermine the Costing Transformation Programme and indicate that community services is not seen as important as other sectors. Also, community services are a fundamental part of providing "cradle to grave" services and will be the key to supporting system-wide costing and the proposed move to Integrated Care Systems.
- 28. The option of a phased implementation was also reviewed as part of the initial impact assessment. However, the complexity of this option meant it was rejected.

Comment 7

You said

The currencies collected and reported do not reflect much of the work of community services, with key concerns raised including:

- how to cost and treat "indirect patient contacts" such as safeguarding work
- the use of care contacts as the basis of costing, as these are not robust enough for accurate costing as they do not provide any information on the actual care provided.
- 29. NHS England and NHS Improvement's Costing team will continue to work with trusts on ways to improve how costs are collected, including how to cost and record community activities appropriately and robustly. This will include those described as "indirect patient contacts", where we have made significant changes for the 2021 publication of the approved costing guidance. The community early implementer group has contributed to many of these areas (and will continue to do so), using the data structures in the national dataset the Community Services Data Set (CSDS) wherever possible.
- 30. We recognise that there is more work to do, and part of this is working with NHS Digital to provide information on the future versions of the CSDS, so that the national data structures provide sufficient information for all purposes.
- 31. We are also working with the NHS England and NHS Improvement payment development team on the development of the community currencies, and these will be driven by the data in the CSDS. The proposed currencies have been clinically developed but will require costs at granular patient level to test the currencies, and to inform payment models of the future. We are aligning the costing activities to patient events that can be understood as part of these currencies.
- 32. The PLICS costed data, aggregated to their currencies, will also form part of the Model Community Health. We aspire to be part of the proposed outcomebased review of performance in the longer term. The components in the costing transformation programme structures will enable sufficient detail for review, until such time as currency issues are addressed.

You said

Costing is still seen as a financial process and there is often little or no senior or clinical engagement in costing.

- 33. The profile of costing has been raised through work by the Model System (Carter metrics) and the Get It Right First Time (GIFT) project, and it also forms part of the use of resources assessment. NHS England and NHS Improvement teams (including Model Health Systems and Pricing and Costing) will continue to work with providers to support the improvement in accuracy of the data being used for national assessment purposes.
- 34. We have seen in other sectors that because trusts are able to produce local PLICS on a more regular basis than the annual collection, this enables them to focus on their own priority areas. Providers can share patient pathway and cost data with staff outside of finance departments. This will not only improve the accuracy of the data but will also support the move to system-wide provision of services. The future ability to link cost data to patient outcomes will further support the benefits of this data in deciding how and where best to provide services.
- 35. The NHS England and NHS Improvement Costing team have met with many boards of directors and lead clinicians to discuss the benefits of PLICS and how it can be utilised. We are available to extend these meetings and offer supporting materials and case studies to community providers.

Comment 9

You said

The mandation does not cover non-NHS organisations, such as community interest or private companies, which means a significant amount of spend on community services will not be collected.

36. The Costing Transformation Programme has always aimed to collect PLICS data for all NHS services regardless of who provides them. The Costing team will continue to work with non-NHS providers to agree a methodology to collect costing data from them.

Comment 10

You said

The impact assessment talks about cost savings, but in reality, this could lead to additional activity for which there is no funding available and additional costs in respect of costing staff, IT staff and IT related costs. How will this be funded?

- 37. NHS England and NHS Improvement believes that introducing PLICS will help trusts identify the real cost of patient care and allow patient pathways to improve, which will allow better use of resources.
- 38. The cost data includes an estimate of additional time of both costing and associates staff, including IT, using data from the previous mandation of acute and mental health services. It also includes an estimate for new systems or system upgrades to implement PLICS for community services. It does not include the cost of any upgrades to information systems was not included as this will vary depending on each trust, the various systems it has in place and whether these can produce the required level of information.

4. Responses to future direction of travel questions⁴

| Response | Do you agree patient-level costing returns should, in time, be submitted quarterly? | |
|----------------------------|--|-------|
| | Number | % |
| Strongly support | 1 | 2.6% |
| Support | 10 | 26.3% |
| Neither oppose nor support | 6 | 15.8% |
| Oppose | 8 | 21.1% |
| Oppose strongly | 13 | 34.2% |

- 39. Benefits raised by the sector include:
 - Quarterly reporting could help providers by smoothing out the resource effort needed so that it is across the year rather than the once a year approach.
 - Makes data available in the actual reporting year which could be used to maybe correct actual events rather than just have a full year's data available that can only be used in an historical way – become business as usual.
 - Would give organisations more up-to-date data with which to analyse their costs, and this would make Model Health System more useful as data would be available more frequently.

⁴ These are additional questions, collected to help NHS England and NHS improvement understand whether a more frequent collection of community data would be beneficial. This does not form part of the formal consultation but is included here for information.

- 40. Concerns raised around more regular submission include:
 - Ensuring the quality of the data collected and submitted, especially with reduction in time to take it to services and reviewing/correcting issues – more frequent collection would reduce time the small finance departments have to complete their costing work.
 - Trusts would need to fully embed PLICS properly before any decision on more frequent collection is made – would this require another impact assessment?
 - What would the data be used for and how would year-end adjustments be considered?
 - There may be problems when trying to make local PLICS data fall into line

5. Trusts covered by the mandation⁵

| Org Code | Organisation |
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| RCF | AIREDALE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RBS | ALDER HEY CHILDREN'S NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RTK | ASHFORD AND ST PETER'S HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RF4 | BARKING, HAVERING AND REDBRIDGE UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS NHS TRUST |
| RFF | BARNSLEY HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| R1H | BARTS HEALTH NHS TRUST |
| RC1 | BEDFORD HOSPITAL NHS TRUST |
| RWX | BERKSHIRE HEALTHCARE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RYW | BIRMINGHAM COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE NHS TRUST |
| RQ3 | BIRMINGHAM WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| TAJ | BLACK COUNTRY HEALTHCARE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RXL | BLACKPOOL TEACHING HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RMC | BOLTON NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| TAD | BRADFORD DISTRICT CARE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |

⁵ Please let us know if there are any changes due to mergers or service transfers via <u>costing@improvement.nhs.uk</u>

| RAE | BRADFORD TEACHING HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
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| RY2 | BRIDGEWATER COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RXH | BRIGHTON AND SUSSEX UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS NHS TRUST |
| RXQ | BUCKINGHAMSHIRE HEALTHCARE NHS TRUST |
| RWY | CALDERDALE AND HUDDERSFIELD NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RGT | CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RT1 | CAMBRIDGESHIRE AND PETERBOROUGH NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RYV | CAMBRIDGESHIRE COMMUNITY SERVICES NHS TRUST |
| RV3 | CENTRAL AND NORTH WEST LONDON NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RYX | CENTRAL LONDON COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE NHS TRUST |
| RQM | CHELSEA AND WESTMINSTER HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RXA | CHESHIRE AND WIRRAL PARTNERSHIP NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RFS | CHESTERFIELD ROYAL HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RJ8 | CORNWALL PARTNERSHIP NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RJR | COUNTESS OF CHESTER HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RXP | COUNTY DURHAM AND DARLINGTON NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RYG | COVENTRY AND WARWICKSHIRE PARTNERSHIP NHS TRUST |
| RJ6 | CROYDON HEALTH SERVICES NHS TRUST |

| RY8 | DERBYSHIRE COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
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| RXM | DERBYSHIRE HEALTHCARE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RP5 | DONCASTER AND BASSETLAW TEACHING HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RBD | DORSET COUNTY HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RDY | DORSET HEALTHCARE UNIVERSITY NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RWH | EAST AND NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE NHS TRUST |
| RJN | EAST CHESHIRE NHS TRUST |
| RXR | EAST LANCASHIRE HOSPITALS NHS TRUST |
| RWK | EAST LONDON NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RDE | EAST SUFFOLK AND NORTH ESSEX NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RXC | EAST SUSSEX HEALTHCARE NHS TRUST |
| RVR | EPSOM AND ST HELIER UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS NHS TRUST |
| R1L | ESSEX PARTNERSHIP UNIVERSITY NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RDU | FRIMLEY HEALTH NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RR7 | GATESHEAD HEALTH NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RLT | GEORGE ELIOT HOSPITAL NHS TRUST |
| RTQ | GLOUCESTERSHIRE HEALTH AND CARE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RTE | GLOUCESTERSHIRE HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RN3 | GREAT WESTERN HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |

| RJ1 | GUY'S AND ST THOMAS' NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
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| RN5 | HAMPSHIRE HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RCD | HARROGATE AND DISTRICT NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RY4 | HERTFORDSHIRE COMMUNITY NHS TRUST |
| RQX | HOMERTON UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RY9 | HOUNSLOW AND RICHMOND COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE NHS TRUST |
| RWA | HULL UNIVERSITY TEACHING HOSPITALS NHS TRUST |
| RV9 | HUMBER NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RYJ | IMPERIAL COLLEGE HEALTHCARE NHS TRUST |
| R1F | ISLE OF WIGHT NHS TRUST |
| RGP | JAMES PAGET UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RYY | KENT COMMUNITY HEALTH NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RNQ | KETTERING GENERAL HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RJZ | KING'S COLLEGE HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RAX | KINGSTON HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RW5 | LANCASHIRE CARE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RXN | LANCASHIRE TEACHING HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RY6 | LEEDS COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE NHS TRUST |
| RR8 | LEEDS TEACHING HOSPITALS NHS TRUST |
| RT5 | LEICESTERSHIRE PARTNERSHIP NHS TRUST |
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| RJ2 | LEWISHAM AND GREENWICH NHS TRUST |
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| RY5 | LINCOLNSHIRE COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES NHS TRUST |
| RBQ | LIVERPOOL HEART AND CHEST HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| REM | LIVERPOOL UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| REP | LIVERPOOL WOMEN'S NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| R1K | LONDON NORTH WEST UNIVERSITY HEALTHCARE NHS TRUST |
| RC9 | LUTON AND DUNSTABLE UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RWF | MAIDSTONE AND TUNBRIDGE WELLS NHS TRUST |
| R0A | MANCHESTER UNIVERSITY NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RPA | MEDWAY NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RW4 | MERSEY CARE NHS TRUST |
| RBT | MID CHESHIRE HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RXF | MID YORKSHIRE HOSPITALS NHS TRUST |
| RD8 | MILTON KEYNES UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RM1 | NORFOLK AND NORWICH UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RY3 | NORFOLK COMMUNITY HEALTH AND CARE NHS TRUST |
| RVJ | NORTH BRISTOL NHS TRUST |
| RNN | NORTH CUMBRIA INTEGRATED CARE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RAT | NORTH EAST LONDON NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |

| RAP | NORTH MIDDLESEX UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL NHS TRUST |
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| RVW | NORTH TEES AND HARTLEPOOL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RNS | NORTHAMPTON GENERAL HOSPITAL NHS TRUST |
| RP1 | NORTHAMPTONSHIRE HEALTHCARE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RBZ | NORTHERN DEVON HEALTHCARE NHS TRUST |
| RJL | NORTHERN LINCOLNSHIRE AND GOOLE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RTF | NORTHUMBRIA HEALTHCARE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RX1 | NOTTINGHAM UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS NHS TRUST |
| RHA | NOTTINGHAMSHIRE HEALTHCARE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RNU | OXFORD HEALTH NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RTH | OXFORD UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RPG | OXLEAS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RW6 | PENNINE ACUTE HOSPITALS NHS TRUST |
| RD3 | POOLE HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RHU | PORTSMOUTH HOSPITALS NHS TRUST |
| RXE | ROTHERHAM DONCASTER AND SOUTH HUMBER NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RHW | ROYAL BERKSHIRE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| REF | ROYAL CORNWALL HOSPITALS NHS TRUST |
| RH8 | ROYAL DEVON AND EXETER NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |

| RAL | ROYAL FREE LONDON NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
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| RA2 | ROYAL SURREY COUNTY HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RM3 | SALFORD ROYAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RNZ | SALISBURY NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RXK | SANDWELL AND WEST BIRMINGHAM HOSPITALS NHS TRUST |
| RCU | SHEFFIELD CHILDREN'S NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RHQ | SHEFFIELD TEACHING HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RK5 | SHERWOOD FOREST HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| R1D | SHROPSHIRE COMMUNITY HEALTH NHS TRUST |
| R1C | SOLENT NHS TRUST |
| RH5 | SOMERSET PARTNERSHIP NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RRE | SOUTH STAFFORDSHIRE AND SHROPSHIRE HEALTHCARE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RTR | SOUTH TEES HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| R0B | SOUTH TYNESIDE AND SUNDERLAND NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RJC | SOUTH WARWICKSHIRE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RXG | SOUTH WEST YORKSHIRE PARTNERSHIP NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RAJ | MID AND SOUTH ESSEX NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RW1 | SOUTHERN HEALTH NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RVY | SOUTHPORT AND ORMSKIRK HOSPITAL NHS TRUST |

| RJ7 | ST GEORGE'S UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
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| RBN | ST HELENS AND KNOWSLEY TEACHING HOSPITALS NHS TRUST |
| RWJ | STOCKPORT NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RTP | SURREY AND SUSSEX HEALTHCARE NHS TRUST |
| RDR | SUSSEX COMMUNITY NHS TRUST |
| RMP | TAMESIDE AND GLOSSOP INTEGRATED CARE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RBA | TAUNTON AND SOMERSET NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RNA | THE DUDLEY GROUP NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RAS | THE HILLINGDON HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RTD | THE NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RCX | THE QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL, KING'S LYNN, NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RFR | THE ROTHERHAM NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RDZ | THE ROYAL BOURNEMOUTH AND CHRISTCHURCH HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RL4 | THE ROYAL WOLVERHAMPTON NHS TRUST |
| RA9 | TORBAY AND SOUTH DEVON NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RWD | UNITED LINCOLNSHIRE HOSPITALS NHS TRUST |
| RHM | UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL SOUTHAMPTON NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RRK | UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS BIRMINGHAM NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RA7 | UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS BRISTOL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |

| RKB | UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS COVENTRY AND WARWICKSHIRE NHS TRUST |
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| RTG | UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS OF DERBY AND BURTON NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RWE | UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS OF LEICESTER NHS TRUST |
| RTX | UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS OF MORECAMBE BAY NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RJE | UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS OF NORTH MIDLANDS NHS TRUST |
| RK9 | UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS PLYMOUTH NHS TRUST |
| RBK | WALSALL HEALTHCARE NHS TRUST |
| RWW | WARRINGTON AND HALTON TEACHING HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RWG | WEST HERTFORDSHIRE HOSPITALS NHS TRUST |
| RKL | WEST LONDON MENTAL HEALTH NHS TRUST |
| RGR | WEST SUFFOLK NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RYR | WESTERN SUSSEX HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RA3 | WESTON AREA HEALTH NHS TRUST |
| RKE | WHITTINGTON HEALTH NHS TRUST |
| RY7 | WIRRAL COMMUNITY NHS TRUST |
| RBL | WIRRAL UNIVERSITY TEACHING HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RWP | WORCESTERSHIRE ACUTE HOSPITALS NHS TRUST |
| R1A | WORCESTERSHIRE HEALTH AND CARE NHS TRUST |
| RRF | WRIGHTINGTON, WIGAN AND LEIGH NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |

| RLQ | WYE VALLEY NHS TRUST |
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| RA4 | YEOVIL DISTRICT HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |
| RCB | YORK TEACHING HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST |

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