

**Reference** FOI/2020/171

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**From:** Private Individual

**Date:** 16 June 2020

**Subject:** Sterile Services and Endoscopy Reprocessing facilities

**Q1** Where are the Trust's Sterile Services Department/s (SSD) located? If the service is located off-site, please provide the address.

**A1** Information not held – Sterile Services for the Trust are outsourced to an external company, Steris.

**Q2** Does the processing of flexible endoscopes take place in dedicated 'flexible endoscope decontamination unit/facility'? If not, how many clinical locations undertake these tasks?

**A2** Yes, processing undertaken onsite; the Trust has one decontamination area.

**Q3** Are both sterile service and the endoscopy reprocessing facilities accredited to MDD 93/42/EEC and ISO13485 and, do they meet the requirements of HBN13, 2004? Is the endoscopy reprocessing HTM0106 and JAG compliant?

**A3**

	Sterile Services		Endoscopy Reprocessing	
Accreditation	Yes	No	Yes	No
MDD 93/42/EEC	X			X
ISO13485	X			X
HBN13, 2004	X			X
HTM0106			X	
JAG				X

**Q4** Which Trust department do the Sterile Service Department and Endoscopy reprocessing facilities sit under, e.g. Facilities & Estates Department, Surgical Directorate, a Trust sub-co. Please will the Trust provide the current named budget holder and contact details.

**A4**

	Sterile Services	Endoscopy
Department each sit under	Not applicable as per A1	Surgical Division
Budget Holder Name	Not applicable as per A1	Michael Bailey
Email contact	Not applicable as per A1	Michael.Bailey@lhch.nhs.uk

**Q5** What equipment is currently installed in the Trust's Sterile Services Department to include washer disinfectors, steam sterilisers (autoclaves), and low temperature

steriliser e.g. Sterrad, V-PRO etc.? Please complete the tables below:

**A5 Washer Disinfectors**

Manufacturer e.g. Getinge, Belimed etc.	Model	Number of Machines	Number of Chambers	Install Date
Getinge	Edflow	2	4	Nov 2019 Nov 2018

**Steam Sterilisers (Autoclaves)**

Manufacturer e.g. Getinge, Belimed etc.	Model	Number of machines	Install Date
Information not held – No such equipment installed			

**Low Temperature Sterilisers**

Manufacturer e.g. Sterrad	Model	Number of machines	Install Date
Information not held – No such equipment installed			

**Q6** For the equipment stated in Q5 above, please state the number of cycles completed over the last 12 months for all:

- a. Washer Disinfectors Annual Cycle Count =
- b. Steam Sterilisers Annual Cycle Count =
- c. Low-Temperature Sterilisers Annual Cycle Count =

- A6**
- a. 7H060654-820 each since Jan 2020 (each chamber)  
7H060653 – 3070 since Dec 2018 ( each chamber)
  - b. Not applicable – as per A5
  - c. Not applicable – as per A5

**Q7** In the table below, please provide details (manufacturer, product name, and price) on the consumables e.g. washer disinfectant detergent, utilised in the equipment listed in Q8.

**A7**

Equipment Type	Consumable	Manufacturer	Product Name & Code
Washer Disinfectant	Detergent #1	Getinge Lancer	Getinge DLC Poka Yoka DLC 41010054/xv1305
Washer Disinfectant	Detergent #2	Not applicable – as per A5	
Autoclave	Bowie Dick Test	Not applicable – as per A5	

Low-Temp Steriliser	Hydrogen Peroxide	Not applicable – as per A5
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Q8 In the tables below, please provide information detailing the location, manufacturer, model, quantity, and age, relating to the following equipment used in the decontamination of flexible endoscopes:

- Automatic Endoscope Reprocessors;
- Low-Temp Sterilisers e.g. Sterrad;
- Flexible Endoscope Drying Cabinets; and,
- Reverse Osmosis Water System.

A8 **a. Automatic Endoscope Reprocessors**

Location e.g. Endoscopy Department, Theatres, CSSD	Manufacturer	Model	Quantity	Age(s)
Theatre Endoscopic decon	Getinge	Edflow	2	7H060654- Less than 1 year 7H060653 – 18 months

**b. Low-Temp Sterilisers**

Location e.g. Endoscopy Department, Theatres, CSSD	Manufacturer	Model	Quantity	Age(s)
Not applicable – as per A5				

**c. Drying Cabinets**

Location e.g. Endoscopy Department, Theatres, CSSD	Manufacturer	Model	Quantity	Age(s)
Theatre Endoscopy decon clean area	Lancer Getinge	FD8	3	Over 10 years

**d. RO Water System**

Manufacturer	Model	Age
Veolia	Thermapure TP 600 RO	18 Months

Q9 For the equipment stated in Q8 above, please state the number of cycles completed over the last 12 months:

- Automatic Endoscope Reprocessors Annual Cycle Count
- Low-Temperature Sterilisers Annual Cycle Count

A9 Answers as per A6

Q10 In the table below, please provide details (manufacturer and product name/code) on the consumables e.g. Automatic Endoscope Reprocessor detergent, utilised in the equipment listed in Q11.

A10

Equipment Type	Consumable	Manufacturer	Product Name/Code
Automatic Endoscope Reprocessor	Detergent #1	Not applicable as per A7	
Automatic Endoscope Reprocessor	Detergent #2	Not applicable as per A7	
Low-Temp Steriliser	Hydrogen Peroxide	Not applicable as per A7	

Q11 Have you planned investment in either the Sterile Services or Endoscopy reprocessing facility - e.g. Autoclaves, Automated washer disinfectors machines, reverse osmosis plant, boilers etc.? If so, please list the required investment and has provision been made within the FY20 and FY21 budgets?

A11

Proposed Investment	Sterile Services	Endoscopy Reprocessing
FY20	No change, off site	No
FY21	No change, off site	No