

Reference Number: FOI202223/048
From: Commercial
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Subject: status of tech-enabled virtual wards within your Trust.

Q1 Name of Trust

A1 [The Liverpool Heart and Chest Hospital NHS Foundation Trust](#)

Q2 Has your Trust published its plans for the rollout of tech-enabled virtual wards? Does this include plans for frailty?

A2 [No – no plans for frailty](#)

Q3 Has your Trust identified a tech provider/ supplier for the delivery of a frailty virtual ward? If so, who?

A3 [No](#)

Q4 Do you have phased targets between now (May 2022) and December 2023 to ensure you reach the national ambition of 40-50 per 100,000? If so, what are they?

A4 [No](#)

Q5 What is your Trust's current average length of time between being deemed medically fit for discharge and discharge occurring for patients aged 65 and over?

A5 [From April 2021 to March 2022, the total number of days delayed was 968. Please note, we only collect this data for complex discharges.](#)

Q6 What assessment, if any, have you made of the cost savings of utilising tech-enabled virtual wards for frailty?

A6 [Information not held – The Trust does not have virtual wards for frailty](#)

Q7 Who is the clinical lead for your frailty virtual ward?

A7 [Information not held – The Trust does not have virtual wards for frailty](#)

Q8 Does your Trust expect to recruit additional roles to support the delivery of tech-enabled virtual wards within the next 12 months? If so, what are they?

A8 [No](#)

Q9 How do you plan to integrate with social care and local authorities for the delivery of frailty virtual wards?

A9 [Information not held – The Trust does not have virtual wards for frailty](#)

