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Dear Sir/Madam

Information Request relating to Cataract Procedures.

Harvey Walsh provides a range of business research and support services, including the provision of data relating to public sector procurement activity. As part of this activity, I am writing to make a request to the Trust for information relating to Cataract Procedures detailing contracts awarded and yearly usage.

The information we require includes, but is not restricted to, the following:

- Annual volume of Cataract Procedures from 2012/13 to 2014/15
- Annual value of Intra Ocular Lenses spend from 2012/13 to 2014/15
- Present contracted supplier for Intra Ocular Lenses and supply route (direct, agency or purchasing hub)
- Most commonly used mono-focal Intra Ocular Lens and price
- Date of next planned tender and/or contract award
- Which Phaco machines are used by trust?
- When is the trust likely to replace this equipment?

I would be grateful for any information you hold which relates to my request. I have attached a Reply Form which details the specifics of my request and which may assist with fulfilling my request. I can also provide this in electronic format if it is helpful.

I understand that under the Freedom of Information Act 200, I can expect to receive a response within 20 working days. I would be grateful if you could confirm receipt of this request to Sarah.Batt@Harveywalsh.co.uk

I look forward to hearing from you, but if you require any further details please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards,

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Information Request Reply Form Relating to Cataract Procedures

NHS TRUST	NHS Hospital	Form Completed by (Name and Job Title):	Contact Details	Date Form Completed
Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	Blackpool Victoria Hospital	Lisa Rich IG Specialist (FOI)	Lisa.rich@bfwh.nhs.uk	29 February 2016

1. Volume of Cataract procedures & Intra Ocular Lenses Annual Spend

Please specify the Cataract volume and Intra Ocular Lens spend in the following years:

Year	Cataract Volumes	IOL £ Value ex VAT
2012 / 2013	2,090	£55
2013 / 2014	2,343	£55
2014 / 2015	2,408	£45

2. Current Intra Ocular Lens Supplier

Please specify the Trust's current supplier of Intra Ocular Lenses:

Current Supplier	Bausch and Lomb
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Please tick the response box to indicate if supply is direct from current supplier or via an agency or purchasing group/hub:

Supply via:	Please tick:
Direct supply	
Agency*	
Purchasing Hub*	✓

* If supply is via an agency of purchasing group/hub, please provide the name: eg NHSSC

NHS Supply Chain

3. Most commonly used Mono-Focal Intra Ocular Lens in 2014/15

Please specify supplier name, model and price per lens for the most commonly used Mono-Focal Intra Ocular Lens, in 2014/15:

Supplier Name	Bausch and Lomb
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Supplier Model	Acreos and Softport
Price per lens (ex VAT)	£45

4. Most Recent Contract Award

Please specify when the most recent contract was awarded for supply of Intra Ocular Lenses and provide the length of the contract:

Date of Award	August 14, 2015
Contract Length	3 years

5. Date of next planned Tender / Contract Award

Please provide the expected commencement date of the next planned Tender for the supply of Intra Ocular Lenses. Please also provide the expected date of the Contract Award.

Date of next planned tender for IOL supply	April 2018
Date of next Contract Award for IOL supply	August 2018

6. Phaco Emulsification Equipment

Installed Phaco Machines	Quantity	Estimated date of renewal
Stellaris PC	2	
Stellaris AC	1	

7. Further information

If there is any further information you can provide, or if you have any comments you wish to make, please do so below:

Additional Information	
Comments	

This Reply Form relates to an Information Request submitted by Harvey Walsh on 4th February 2016. Please return this form via email to **Sarah.Batt@harveywalsh.co.uk**

To contact Harvey Walsh with regard to this request please telephone **01628 897900** or email.