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Subject

Manual and Digital Records

Details of enquiry

- 1. Does your Trust use pen and paper to build patient records? If so, in which departments?
- 2. Does your Trust use analogue tape dictation to record patient encounters? If so, in which departments?
- 3. Who in the Trust is responsible for digitising paper records?

Response Sent

- 1. All our departments use CareNotes, an electronic patient record system
- 2. We use digital dictation equipment and not analogue machines
- 3. All our current patient records are digital. Some departments are using a bought in service to scan some older files, but this is a finite activity, and is not centralised though a single person, but though a small number of departments..