Freedom of Information Response

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Q1. Is your organisation connected via a private wide area network to other organisations (e.g. other trusts within your region or across your Local digital Roadmap / STP footprint?
This includes dedicated site-to-site links, site-to-site VPNs and MPLS links but does not include connectivity which is solely via the national NHS N3 network.

- Each of our sites has an N3 connection.
- VPNs are used for laptops to connect remotely.
- CCS share a CoIN contract with another NHS Trust.

Q2. Is there an Active directory trust relationship in place between your organisation and other NHS organisations in your local area?
The ICT provision for the Trust is outsourced to a number of shared services providers. The Active Network provided by SERCO is used by multiple organisations. There are no other Trust Relationships.

Q3 - If all organisations with your Sustainability and Transformation Plan / Vanguard / Accountable Care Organisation are not currently connected via a private wide area network, is this planned in the next 2-3 years and what are the anticipated timescales?
This is not applicable to our Trust.

Q4. Please can you release a copy of your Local Digital Roadmap in which your Trust is participating. Please also include the detailed LDR plan that sit behind this for your particular organisation.
This has not yet been finalised.

Q5. Please can you release a copy of the STP that your organisation has signed up to.
This has not yet been finalised.

Q6. Are you planning to migrate to NHSMail2 in the next 12 months?
Yes, we are 90% migrated to date.