

FOI – 1906

2<sup>nd</sup> October 2023

## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST

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**Can you please provide a listing over the last five years of times when changes or withdrawal of services have been carried out within your trust that came under the departmental guidance on change your withdrawal of services?**

**Can you also state for each of these occurrences, whether the change or withdrawal was considered major and or controversial?**

**Can you also indicate for each of these changes or withdrawals, whether this was a temporary or permanent change?**

**Finally, can you provide copies of any risk assessments (or risk benefit analysis or similar documents) that were completed as part of this change over trial of service?**

*Response:*

<b>Year</b>	<b>Change/Withdrawal of Services</b>	<b>Major /Controversial</b>	<b>Temporary/Permanent</b>
30th January 2023 – 24 <sup>th</sup> April 2023  12 Week Public Consultation Period	Emergency General Surgery	Major/Controversial	Proposed Permanent  (Feedback from the public consultation to be tabled at a Trust Board meeting on 28 <sup>th</sup> September 2023)  <b>Note: Contingency arrangements were put in place by the Trust in February 2022 and remain in place.</b>
3rd October 2022 – 23rd December 2022  12 Week Public Consultation	Dementia Inpatient Services	Major/Controversial	Proposed Permanent  (Waiting DoH response to feedback on the Public Consultation and agreed way forward)

<i>Period</i>			<b><i>Note: Contingency arrangements were put in place by the Trust on 4<sup>th</sup> May 2022 and remain in place.</i></b>
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