



**Maidstone and  
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NHS Trust

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## **Freedom of Information Act 2000**

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to Medical Appraisal & Revalidation Software Supply.

*You asked:*

- 1. Does the organisation use an external supplier to supply software for the management of annual appraisals, revalidation and 360 degree multi-source feedback?*
- 2. If so, which supplier does the organisation use for:*
  - a) Medic Appraisals and Revalidation?*
  - b) 360 degree multi-source feedback?*
- 3. What was the annual cost to the third party in 20/21 for:*
  - a) Medic Appraisals and Revalidation?*
  - b) 360 degree multi-source feedback?*
- 4. Please can you provide the contract start and end date for:*
  - a) Medic Appraisals and Revalidation?*
  - b) 360 degree multi-source feedback?*
- 5. When will the organisation commence the start of the next Tender requirement for:*
  - a) Medic Appraisals and Revalidation?*
  - b) 360 degree multi-source feedback?*
- 6. Did the organisation procure the supplier via a framework? If so, which framework?*
  - a) Medic Appraisals and Revalidation?*
  - b) 360 degree multi-source feedback?*
- 7. Does the organisation use internal or external Appraisers for Annual Appraisal?*

Trust response:

1. We do use an independent provider for 360 MSF but not for the management of annual appraisals or revalidation.

2.

a) None

b) Premier It (Clinical 360)

3.

a) Not applicable (N/A)

b) Due to the likelihood of a tendering process starting the Trust will not release further information under Section 43 of the act.

4.

a) N/A

b) No contract; purchase licences as required

5.

a) Currently exploring options so most likely in the next 12 months

b) Currently exploring options so most likely in the next 12 months

6.

a) N/A

b) Unknown, we have used same company for many years

7. Internal