

Freedom of Information request 160-23

Request

Please provide details of the type (manufacturer and model), quantity, department, site where they are located, and age of all point-of-care Immunoassay Analysers listed on your trust's asset register (or equivalent).

Specifically the following:

Manufacturer/Distributor	Analyser
Radiometer	AQT90 FLEX
LumiraDx	LuimiraDx
Quidel / Alere	Triage Meter / MeterPlus / MeterPro
Roche	H232
Siemens	Stratus
Siemens	Atellica VTLi
AB Scientific / Mitsubishi	Pathfast
bioMérieux	Mini Vidas
Thermofisher / Thermoscientific	BRAHMS PCT-direct
Samsung / Thermofisher	LabGEO

Response

NHS Borders have the following Immunoassay Analysers, per the list provided above:

5 x Lumira Dx devices - 1 in the Laboratory, 1 in Labour Ward, 1 in Maternity Ward and 2 in Accident and Emergency. The device in the Labour Ward is new (1 month). The remaining devices are less than 2 years old.

If you are not satisfied with the way your request has been handled or the decision given, you may ask NHS Borders to review its actions and the decision. If you would like to request a review please apply in writing to, Freedom of Information Review, NHS Borders, Room 2EC3, Education Centre, Borders General Hospital, Melrose, TD6 9BS or foi.enquiries@borders.scot.nhs.uk.

The request for a review should include your name and address for correspondence, the request for information to which the request relates and the issue which you wish to be reviewed. Please state the reference number **160-23** on this request. Your request should be made within 40 working days from receipt of this letter.

If following this review, you remain dissatisfied with the outcome, you may appeal to the Scottish Information Commissioner and request an investigation of your complaint. Your request to the Scottish Information Commissioner should be in writing (or other permanent form), stating your name and an address for correspondence. You should provide the details of the request and your reasons for dissatisfaction with both the original response by NHS Borders and your reasons for dissatisfaction with the outcome of the internal review. Your application for an investigation by the Scottish Information Commissioner must be made within six months of your receipt of the response with which you are dissatisfied. The address for the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner is, Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner, Kinburn Castle, Doubledykes Road, St Andrews, Fife.