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Freedom of Information request

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which was received by the Trust on 02/09/2021. Please see responses to your requests below.

1. Your Guideline/Treatment Pathway for the pharmacological management of Heart Failure?

The Trust follows the National Institute for Health and Care Excellence's guidelines (NICE) on the management of acute (CG187, 2014) and chronic heart failure (NG106, 2018). There are also technical appraisals for the use of certain drugs such as Ivabradine (TA267, 2012); Dapagliflozin (TA679, 2021) and Sacubitril/Valsartan (TA388, 2016).

2. Your Guideline/Treatment Pathway for the pharmacological management of Type 2 Diabetes - pertaining to use of SGLT2, DPP-4 and GLP-1?

The Trust follows NICE Guidance and drug licences in the management of Type 2 diabetes including the above agents.

3. Your guideline/Treatment Pathway for the pharmacological management of Asthma?

Please see attached below asthma guideline:



wan-asthma-guidelines-2018.pdf

4. Your Guideline/Treatment Pathway for the pharmacological management of Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD)

The Trust follow NICE Guidance for Chronic Kidney Disease.

Copies of NICE Guidance can be found by following this link: <https://www.nice.org.uk/about/what-we-do/our-programmes>

Please accept this letter as completion of your request. Please note that copies of this request will be held on file for three years before being confidentially destroyed.

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of your request, please contact our Head of Information Governance on Information.Governance@porthosp.nhs.uk or write to the above address and we will conduct an internal review. Upon review, if you are still dissatisfied, you may appeal our decision by contacting the Information Commissioner's Office; for more information, please visit the [ICO's website](#).

Please be aware, if we do not receive an appeal within 30 days of you receiving this letter, we will assume that you are satisfied with our response. If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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