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**REQUEST:**

1. Does your Trust have an Anticoagulant Service for
  - A. In-patients and out-patients
  - B. In-patients only
  - C. Outpatient only
2. How many inpatient beds does your Trust have (at each site if more than 1 site)?
  - A) How many sites do you inpatient dose (if applicable)?
3. Who doses VKA for your inpatient population?
4. How many individuals who are not doctors perform this role in the groups specified above?
5. If you dose warfarin for out-patients, how many warfarin patients do you currently dose?
6. Which dosing software do you use?
7. Does your Trust run nurse led Anticoagulation clinics?
8. If there are no nurse-led clinics, who is responsible for management of patients taking VKA within your Trust?
9. Who completes your VTE Risk assessments?
10. What is your current VTE Risk assessment compliance rate?

**OUR RESPONSE:** 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8. The Trust does not provide any Anticoagulant Services. This service is provided by University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust (UHL). For information on how to request information from UHL, please follow this link:  
<https://www.leicestershospitals.nhs.uk/aboutus/freedom-of-information/>

2.

Bradgate Mental Health Unit	150
Herschel Prins Centre	18
Stewart House	44
The Willows	38
Coalville Community Hospital	44
Evington Centre	89
Feilding Palmer Nursing	10
Hinckley & Bosworth Community Hospital	39
Loughborough Hospital	24
Melton Mowbray Hospital	17
Rutland Memorial Hospital	16
St Luke's Hospital	30
Bennion Centre	63
1 The Grange	5
3 Rubicon Close	5
Gillivers	6
Agnes Unit	12
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>610</b>

9. This is completed by the ward nurses and the advanced nurse practitioners. In the out-of-hours periods, this is completed by the GP out-of-hours service when clerking a patient.

10. 100%