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### **Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Request for Information**

Thank you for submitting a request for information which we received on 6<sup>th</sup> October 2021 in relation to County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust (the Trust). Your request has been processed under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and I am now able to provide you with a response.

Your request was in relation to DOAC Guidelines and I am providing the following information in response to your specific questions:

**I am undertaking a project looking at local DOAC (Direct Oral Anticoagulants) guidelines within the NHS. Would you be able to send any:**

- 1. Guidelines your organisation has available relating to the use of Direct Oral Anticoagulants within your area along**
- 2. Any guidelines referring to the reversal/ antidote of DOAC treatment.**

**I would be grateful for any information you have to aid my research as I was unable to find the information on your website.**

**If you don't have any local guideline, do you follow NICE?**

Please find enclosed the guidelines you requested:

Attachment 1 – Guideline for the management of patients on anticoagulation who require surgery or invasive procedures

Attachment 2 – Guideline for Venous Thromboembolism (VTE) diagnosis and treatment (over the age of 18 years)

Attachment 3 – Warfarin Reversal Policy

In line with the Information Commissioner's directive on the disclosure of information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 your request will form part of our

disclosure log on the Trust's website. However please be assured that we anonymise all responses prior to adding them to the disclosure log.

I hope that this response has provided you with the information you had requested. If you have any queries or wish to discuss the information supplied, please do not hesitate to contact me by telephone or in writing. If however, you are dissatisfied with the way in which your request has been handled and would like an internal review, you will need to contact me in writing at the above address or via [cdda-tr.cddftfoi@nhs](mailto:cdda-tr.cddftfoi@nhs).

If you remain dissatisfied with our response following an internal review you have the right to appeal to The Information Commissioner at Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. More information is available on their website; [www.ico.gov.uk](http://www.ico.gov.uk).

Yours sincerely

**Corporate Records and Freedom of Information Facilitator**