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Date Received: 28th March 2023

Response Due: 27th April 2023

Date: 5th April 2023

Dear Sir/Madam

You asked:

- 1. Do you currently use a device for repetitive task training (RTT) as part of upper limb rehabilitation? If so, please indicate device name and supplier.**

No

- 2. What is the average length of therapy per patient per session (in minutes)?**

N/A

- 3. Do you monitor outcomes: intensity and adherence (%) for this type of therapy?**

N/A

- 4. What are the limitations of current devices?**

N/A

- 5. What are the funding sources (Allocated budget? Spend limit before panel approval?) and procurement routes (direct purchase, rental, framework, tender...) for this type of rehabilitation devices?**

N/A

- 6. What are the criteria of selection for this type of devices?**

N/A

REHAB AT HOME –

- 7. Do you provide devices to patients for remotely monitored RTT at home? If not, please explain why?**

The trust does not have access to any devices or the funding to purchase any such devices and we do not have sufficient evidence based research to warrant providing this type of treatment.

- 8. If yes, are these devices portable and would they be suitable for diverse environment (chair, table, wheelchair, or bed)?**

N/A

- 9. Alternatively, do you recommend devices or services to patients, for home RTT therapy? If so, please indicate device name and supplier.**

No

- 10. What is the average length of therapy per patient per session (in minutes)?**

N/A

- 11. Do you monitor outcomes: intensity and adherence (%) for this type of home therapy?**

N/A

- 12. What are the limitations with current home devices?**

N/A

- 13. What are the funding sources (Allocated budget? Spend limit before panel approval?) and procurement routes (direct purchase, rental, framework, tender...) for this type of home rehabilitation devices?**

N/A

- 14. What are the criteria of selection for this type of devices?**

N/A

If you are not entirely satisfied with this response, please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department via the email address provided. If we do not hear from you within 28 days, we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,



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