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## Re: Freedom of Information Request

Thank you for your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 which was received into this office on 27<sup>th</sup> April 2016.

### You Asked for:

I'm looking to find details of the products/appliances on Wirral CCG's continence formulary relating specifically to Sheaths and Leg Bags in use for male urinary incontinence. Can I be informed of where I can access this information?

However, if there is no continence formulary currently in use, am I correct in assuming that healthcare professionals are free to prescribe whichever continence appliances (i.e., sheaths, leg bags) they feel appropriate to the individual patient's needs?

### Our Response:

NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group currently has no continence formulary relating specifically to Sheaths and Leg Bags in use for male urinary incontinence.

The continence service is currently delivered by Wirral Community NHS Foundation Trust, therefore I would suggest that you contact them directly if you require any further information on: [FOI@wirralct.nhs.uk](mailto:FOI@wirralct.nhs.uk)

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