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I am responding to your request for information received 5 June 2020. I am sorry for the delay in responding to your request. This has been treated as a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I am now enclosing a response which is attached to the end of this letter. Please do not hesitate to contact me on the contact details above if you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely,

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Information Governance Manager

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Request:

Question 1. Please advise the annual volume purchased of Controlled Drug Denature kits / Controlled Drug Destruction Kits by product size. Eg 100ml, 250ml, 500ml, 1L, 2L, 4L etc.

Answer: As a total of all sizes 100 kits were purchased in the last year:
75 x 250ml CD destruction kits
20 x 2L CD destruction kits
5 x 1L CD destruction kits

Question 2. How does the Trust purchase these? Eg. Via NHSSC, direct from manufacturer, other?

Answer: NHS supplies or Valley Northern via iPROC/Oracle

Question 3. How does the Trust decide which product range to purchase?

Answer: This is dependent on the availability on NHS supplies.

Question 4. Who is responsible for managing the procurement of controlled drug denature kits?

Answer: The Trust's Pharmacy department is responsible for managing the procurement of controlled drug denature kits.