



Freedom of Information request & West Norfolk CCG response

WN-2015-00187 – Costs for 24 Hour ECG Recording (Holter).

- 1) How much does it currently cost the CCG for a patient referred by a GP to have a 24 hour ECG recording (Holter)?

It costs the CCG £165.00 for a patient to be referred by a GP to have a ECG recording (Holter).

Please note, the CCG cannot confirm if the ECG Holter used by the Trust is always 24 hours. Please seek confirmation from [The Queen Elizabeth Hospital King's Lynn NHS Foundation Trust](#)

- 2) How many 24 hour ECG recording (Holter) are performed annually?

Clarification

Just to clarify, I'm interested in 24 hour ECG/Holter recordings not 12 lead ECGs.

I'm interested in the total number of Holters performed and how much they cost per unit.

The information requested is not held by the CCG. Please refer your query to our local Acute Provider who may be better placed to respond.

NHS West Norfolk CCG's local Acute provider is [The Queen Elizabeth Hospital King's Lynn NHS Foundation Trust](#)

- 3) With regard to 12 lead ECGs, 24 hour ECG recordings (Holter), Echocardiograms and Audiograms can your GPs

- a. Refer their patients directly to a local provider via e-Referral or must they go via a referral service e.g. Devon Referral Support Service?

The Queen Elizabeth Hospital King's Lynn NHS Foundation Trust have services published on the NHS e-Referral Service, these are found under their Cardiology Services.

- b. Refer their patients directly to a local provider via e-Referral or must the request be assessed as an appropriate referral by an intermediate service?**

GPs can refer their patients directly via E-Referral and this does not need to be assessed by any intermediate service.