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Subject: Specialist Stroke Unit

REQUEST

Do you have a Specialist Stroke Unit (by which we mean a stroke unit with a 24 hours a day/7 days a week available team with access to a scanner and operator capable of triage for thrombotic / hemorrhagic stroke identification and location, presence of readily available infusion products and neurologist on call and follow up care).

In respect of each Specialist Stroke Unit on the list that you provide, please include:

1. The address of the Stroke Unit;
2. Their emergency telephone number (or, where there is no such number available, a telephone number for the hospital switchboard on which the relevant Stroke Unit may be contacted); and
3. If the capability to use surgical techniques to remove some thromboses via catheter is available

In the relevant Specialist Stroke Unit (or if only available in certain more specialised stroke units

Please identify the units where such techniques are available).

RESPONSE

The address of the Stroke Unit; St Helens & Knowsley Trust, Warrington Road, Prescott Merseyside. L35 5DR

2. Their emergency telephone number (or, where there is no such number available, a telephone – Switch Board - 0151 426 1600 – Stroke Nurse Emergency number via switchboard and stroke nurse bleep 7337 number for the hospital switchboard on which the relevant Stroke Unit may be contacted)

3. If the capability to use surgical techniques to remove some thromboses via catheter is available in the relevant Specialist Stroke Unit (or if only available in certain more specialised stroke units please identify the units where such techniques are available).

There is no capability for surgical intervention to remove thrombus, these patients go to Walton Neuro Centre