

Ref no: 037170919  
From: Public  
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Subject: Mass Spectrometry testing for Diagnostic purposes

## REQUEST

- 1) Does your Trust routinely offer Mass Spectrometry testing for Diagnostic purposes? (Please answer either yes or no to this question).
- 2) If you answered yes to question 1, can you please provide a list of which assays / tests are routinely run on the Mass Spectrometry system in your Trust.
- 3) Does your Trust send away samples (to locations outside of your trust) for Mass Spectrometry testing? (please answer either yes or no to this question).
- 4) If you answered yes to question 3, can you please list the assays / tests which are run on the samples you send away?

## RESPONSE

1. No
2. N/A
3. Yes
4. The details of the methods employed by the referral centers to produce the results which are returned to the Trust is not held by the Trust