REQUEST AND RESPONSE

I am writing in response to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 received on 24th July 2013 by NHS Dartford, Gravesham and Swanley Clinical Commissioning Group. All answers relate to NHS Dartford, Gravesham and Swanley Clinical Commissioning Group only. I can confirm NHS Dartford, Gravesham and Swanley Clinical Commissioning Group does hold the information you requested. The information you requested is listed below together with the response:

Could you please therefore let me know the following for your CCG – and if you are responsible for the Medicines formulary for other CCGS, I would be grateful if you could send me those too as I will otherwise be making contact for those CCGs as well

1. Do you have or adhere to a  a) Formulary b) a Traffic Light List ?
2. How often is this formulary updated? Please attach any relevant documents
3. Do you have any plans to develop a formulary or any of the other documents detailed above?
4. When are the formulary/ other documents due to be published?
5. Will you utilise any other organisation's formularies in developing this formulary?

1. a). Yes the CCG does have a formulary that we try to adhere to which can be viewed on www.dgsformulary.co.uk
    b). we do not have a traffic light list
2. Formulary is updated every 6 months or sooner if needed
3. Please see 2 above
4. As stated in 1 above the CCG does have a formulary that we try to adhere to which can be viewed on www.dgsformulary.co.uk

5. Yes we engage with our local acute trusts when developing or updating our formulary