Further to your request for information dated 10 November 2015 the information requested is below.

Have you had any input, formal coordinating role or informal coordinating role with regards to EMR purchasing and/or use in primary care?

GPs are free to use EMR systems approved in the GPSoC.

Have you had any input, formal coordinating role or informal coordinating role with regards to EMR purchasing and/or use in acute hospital trusts?

NHS Dartford Gravesham and Swanley Clinical Commissioning Group has not had any input.

Do you hold any information about any EMR franchising or coordination arrangements in your geographical area, even if you did not have any input or coordinating role?

NHS Dartford Gravesham and Swanley Clinical Commissioning Group does not hold any information that is currently in use.

Do you hold records of whether primary care centres in your commissioning area are able to franchise EMR to other primary care centres?

NHS Dartford Gravesham and Swanley Clinical Commissioning Group does not hold any such records.

Do you hold records of whether acute hospital trusts in your commissioning area are able to franchise EMR to other trusts?

NHS Dartford Gravesham and Swanley Clinical Commissioning Group does not hold any such records.

Is there functional interoperability (i.e. the ability to transfer of information between EMRs) between two acute trusts within your commissioning area?

No there is not.

Is there functional interoperability (i.e. the ability to transfer of information between EMRs) between a primary care organization and an acute hospital trust in your commissioning area?

No there is not.