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1. Currently how many vascular surgeons are working at your trust, please include wte for consultants and numbers of junior doctors?

3 WTE Consultants, 2 middle Grade (1 currently vacant)
2 FY2
4 FY1

2. What on call rota do the vascular surgical consultants cover currently?

Network on call
Hospital on call 1:4
Surgeon on call 1:2 =1:8

3. What catchment area do they cover?

The Hospital covers a catchment area of approximately 330,000

4. Is a review planned or has one been performed regarding vascular surgery reconfiguration in your area, please provide dates of review?

A Vascular review is currently in progress which is being conducted by the East of England Strategic Health Authority (EoE SHA).

5. If a review has occurred what was the outcome?

Please see our response to question 4 above.

6. Will there be centralisation of services in your area?

Please see our response to question 4 above.

7. If there is centralisation which will be the hub hospital, how many consultant vascular surgeons will be employed (wte), what rota will be employed and what catchment area will be covered?

Please see our response to question 4 above.