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1. Are your doctors still currently using dictation recorders with analogue tapes/cassettes? **No – only used for business continuity purposes.**
2. Do you currently use any digital dictation systems and if so which one(s)? **Yes, dictate IT**
 - a. If yes, which departments use them, how much has been spent on them and what are the start and end dates of any contracts? **Total contract value £700K. Start of contract 2015, end 2018 with an option to extend for two more years.**
3. Do you have any current plans to implement a digital dictation system(s)? **N/A**
 - a. If yes, what are the planned timescales, has a budget been allocated and which procurement route will you use? **N/A**
 - b. Do you have a corporate or departmental strategy/approach for procuring these systems? **N/A**