Public Access Defibrillator Norfolk

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to

Dear Guardian

We are contacting you today to ask that you register your public access defibrillator on the British Heart Foundation website, the Circuit <u>www.thecircuit.uk</u>

This system will store all your details and links in to our 999 networks, thus alerting you when we have sent someone to access your machine. On registration it will also ask you to provide the expiry dates for pads, the circuit will prompt you when they need replacing.

The BHF and Circuit has a "public facing" website <u>www.defibfinder.uk</u> this lets people search the area for where the nearest device is located, and helps fundraisers provide new machines where there aren't any.

For guardians who have an existing relationship with an external organisation (such as arrangements to manage their defibrillator), we do advise that you contact that organisation for further details. The main organisation we are aware of in our region is the Community Heartbeat Trust (CHT) and those local guardians should therefore contact CHT for further instructions before taking any action.

If you do have a relationship with an external organisation, please reply and let us know so that we can amend our records.

We would like to reassure you that we will not be removing your defibrillator from our control system, and it will still be available for deployment in the event of a 999 call.

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any concerns on

defibs@eastamb.nhs.uk 07731001446

Thank you

Kind Regards,

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