



Ref: FOIA Reference 2021/22-359

Date: 25th October 2021

Email foi@uhnm.nhs.uk

Dear

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your email dated 10th October 2021 (received into our office 11th October) requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding staffing.

Note: UHNM has received this identical request from you twice, but will be responding once

As of 1st November 2014 University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust (UHNM) manages two hospital sites – Royal Stoke University Hospital, and County Hospital (Stafford). Therefore the response below is for the two sites combined from that date where appropriate.

Q1 I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information from the Paediatric Diabetes department within your NHS Hospital Trust. I am writing a Masters dissertation on the exploration of various clinical and supportive staff groups and their impact on Paediatric Diabetes patients and their HbA1C compliance.

For audit year 2019/2020 would you please be able to advise:

1. Number of Whole Time Equivalent (WTE) Paediatric Diabetes consultant posts in place for your Paediatric Diabetes service.

A1 1 WTE (shared between 3 consultants)

Q2 Number of WTE nursing posts, and their bands, currently in place specifically for your Paediatric Diabetes service.

A2 Information not held by UHNM, The diabetes service for nurses is held by Midlands Partnership NHS Foundation Trust and they may hold this, and they can be contacted at the following email address:
foi@mpft.nhs.uk

Q3 Number of WTE HCA posts currently in place specifically for your Paediatric Diabetes service.

A3 Information not held by UHNM, The diabetes service for nurses is held by Midlands Partnership NHS Foundation Trust and they may hold this, and they can be contacted at the following email address:
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Q4 Number of WTE Psychologist posts, and their bands, currently in place specifically for your Paediatric Diabetes service.

A4 0.8 WTE

Q5 Number of WTE Dietician posts, and their bands, currently in place specifically for your Paediatric Diabetes service.

A5 1 WTE band 7 and 0.45 WTE Band 6

Q6 Number of WTE Social Worker posts, and their bands, currently in place specifically for your Paediatric Diabetes service.

A6 Nil

Q7 Number of WTE Family Support Worker posts, and their bands, currently in place specifically for your Paediatric Diabetes service.

A7 Information not held by UHNM, The diabetes service for nurses is held by Midlands Partnership NHS Foundation Trust and they may hold this, and they can be contacted at the following email address:
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Q8 Any other staffing roles within your Paediatric Diabetes service? What are they? What are the whole time equivalents? and what benefits do you feel they provide to the patients?

A8 Information not held by UHNM, Midlands Partnership NHS Foundation Trust may hold this, they can be contacted at the following email address: foi@mpft.nhs.uk

Q9 Does your Paediatric service use Dendrite or Twinkle software, or both, to capture patient data?

A9 Twinkle

Q10 What methods of accessibility to you have for patients whose first language is not English?

A10 Language line and Face to Face interpreters as needed

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This letter confirms the completion of this request. A log of this request and a copy of this letter will be held by the Trust.

If you have any queries related to the response provided please in the first instance contact my office.

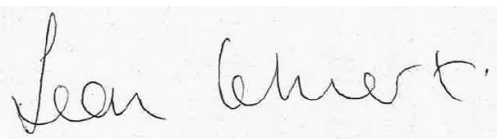
Should you have a complaint about the response or the handling of your request, please also contact my office to request a review of this. If having exhausted the Trust's FOIA complaints process you are still not satisfied, you are entitled to approach the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) and request an assessment of the manner in which the Trust has managed your request.

The Information Commissioner may be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF or via www.ico.org.uk.

If following review of the responses I can be of any further assistance please contact my secretary on 01782 671612.

Yours,



Jean Lehnert
Data, Security & Protection Manager