

# Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh Teaching Hospitals

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Date Received: 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2025

Response Due: 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025

Date: 19<sup>th</sup> March 2025

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2025, I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that we do hold the information you have requested. A response to each part of your request is provided below.

In your request you asked:

**I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act.**

- **Please could you provide us with leader's name for the below leadership roles.**
- **If you have a very similar role but not the exact job title, please include details of the very similar role and individual. If you don't have this role at all, please state N/A or "Don't have the job title".**
- **Also, please you include the names and job titles of any of the board members that are not listed below.**

Job title	Leader's name
Chair	This information is being withheld under Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act. Please see the below refusal notice.
Chief executive	
Chief finance officer	
Medical director	
Chief nursing officer	
Chief operating officer	
Director of communications and marketing	
Chief people officer/Director of HR and OD	
Director of strategy and planning	
Chief pharmacist	
	Mike Parks.

Director of Corporate Governance/Company Secretary/Board Secretary	Steven Parsons.
Head of legal services	Helen Smith.
Lead director for procurement (procurement director)	No longer an active role.
PA to chief executive	This information is being withheld under Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act. Please see the below refusal notice.
Chief clinical information officer	Martin Farrier.
Director of infection control	The Chief Nursing Officer.
Head of operational estates	Marcus Summers.
Head of capital estates	Tony Farrell.
Chief information officer/IT director	Vacant.
Head of hotel services	Helen Littlehales.
Head of private patients	Louise Benson.
Head of sterile services	Mary Kelly.
Head of facilities management	Nick Bastow.

A search for the information has now been completed within the Trust the information is exempt under Section 21 of the FOIA as it is reasonably accessible to you, and I am pleased to inform you that you can access it via the following link: <https://www.wvl.nhs.uk/board-and-board-papers>

If you are not entirely satisfied with this response, please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department via the email address provided. If we do not hear from you within 40 days, we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,



Charlotte Wright  
Deputy Chief People Officer

PLEASE NOTE:

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you should write to: Information Governance Department, Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust, Suite 9, Buckingham Row, Brick Kiln Lane, Wigan, WN1 1XX.

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision at:

The Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
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Helpline number: 0303 123 111