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Response Due: 28th February 2024

Date: 28th February 2024

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 31st January 2024, 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:

1. Does your trust have an acute learning disability liaison service? Yes/No

Yes

I. If so, what year was it set up and first became active? [For example: 2011]

2002

II. What are the service team's working hours? Does the service offer out of hours support? [For example: Mon-Fri 9am to 5pm, no out of hours covered]

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2. Do you have any Nursing and Midwifery Council registered nurses in learning disabilities working in the acute learning disability liaison service? Yes/No

Yes

I. If yes, what is the headcount number and their agenda for change banding? [for example: 2 X registered nurses in learning disabilities, both band 5]

1x WTE B6

II. What are the full time equivalent (FTE) hours or whole time equivalent (WTE) hours that this post or posts amount to? [for example: 1.0 FTE post which equates to 37.5 hours]

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3. Do you have any other staff members work in the acute learning disability liaison service?

Yes/No

Yes – Community Learning Disability Team support is available from the wider team.

I. If yes, what is the headcount and their agenda for change banding? [for example: 1 x band 4 staff member]

Support available from the wider Community Learning Disability Team mix of B7, B6, B4 and B3 as required.

II. Please specify the specific roles employed (i.e.: describe whether they are registered adult nurses, registered children's nurses or registered mental health nurses (not registered learning disability nurses) or any other kind of role? (For example: 2 X staff members, of which 1 is a healthcare assistant and 1 is a registered adult nurse) [for example: 1 X healthcare assistant]

Ad hoc support from registered Learning Disability Nurses, therapists, assistant practitioners, support workers from the wider Learning Disability team.

III. What are the full time equivalent hours (FTE) or whole time equivalent (WTE) hours this post or posts amount to? [for example: 1.0 FTE post which equates to 37.5 hours]

N/A

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,



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