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Re: Freedom of Information Request
Ref: 105-2018

Thank you for your email dated 15th May 2018 requesting information relating to discharge teams in the Trust.

The information that you require is as follows:

Could you please provide the following information relating to discharge teams in your Trust:

Firstly, how many members of staff are employed full time or part time within your hospital discharge team?

0- We do not have a dedicated discharge team within our Trust

Secondly, how many local authority staff are employed by your Trust to facilitate discharge into adult social care?

Please see above

Thirdly, could you please provide all available data on how many patients you discharge broken down annually and by month if possible?

Please see the spreadsheet attached.

Please note, the increase of discharges from July 2017 is due to the integration of the Haemato- Oncology Service within the Royal Liverpool University Hospital, which was acquired by our Trust at this time.

Should you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me on the email address provided below.

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for this to be investigated internally.

If you are dissatisfied with the information you have received, you have the right to ask for an internal review.

Both processes will be handled in accordance with our Trust's Freedom of Information Policy and the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Internal investigation and internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to: Freedom of Information Review, The Clatterbridge Cancer Centre NHS Foundation Trust, Clatterbridge Road, Bebington, Wirral, CH63 4JY

If you are not satisfied with the outcome of the internal investigation/review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

In order for us to ensure customer satisfaction and to monitor compliance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000, we would be grateful if you could take a couple of minutes to complete a short feedback form via the link below:

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/H39RFMM>