

## **Information Governance**

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I am responding to your request for information received 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2019. This has been treated as a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I am now enclosing a response which is attached to the end of this letter. Please do not hesitate to contact me on the contact details above if you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely,

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Information Governance Coordinator

If you are dissatisfied with the Trust's response to your FOIA request then you should contact us and we will arrange for an internal review of this decision. If you remain dissatisfied with the decision following our response to your complaint, you may write to the Information Commissioner for a decision under Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

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Is your authority's supply chain checked for adherence to Section 54 of the Modern Slavery Act 2015?
( )Yes ( )No ( )Not Sure Other (please specify)[ ]
Yes.
In the calendar year 2017, how many suppliers in your supply chain did Section 54 of the Modern Slavery Act 2015 apply to?
All suppliers.
In the calendar year 2018, how many suppliers in your supply chain did Section 54 of the Modern Slavery Act 2015 apply to?
All suppliers.
How often are due diligence checks carried out in compliance with Section 54 of the Modern Slavery Act and by whom (job title)?
Quarterly or annually by the Contract Manager.
Which area of your supply chain do you think is particularly vulnerable to risks of modern slavery and human trafficking and what steps have you taken to manage these risks?
This question does not fall under the requirements of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 which applies to recorded information, therefore the Trust is unable to answer this.
How compliant is your authority to enforcing the requirements of section 54 of the Modern Slavery Act 2015?
( )Full compliance ( )Partial / some compliance ( )Not sure ( )Very little compliance ( )No compliance
Full compliance.
Have there been any reports of incidents of Modern Slavery in your supply chain. If your answer is "yes" please provide details.
( )Yes ( )No ( )Not sure ( )Not applicable If "Yes" provide details here:[ ]

Answer: Not sure.

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Question 8. How well do you think staff managing contracts on behalf of your authority are trained to spot and tackle Modern Slavery within your supply chain?

Answer: Safeguarding training is provided as statutory mandatory training to all

staff. Staff in high risk areas will receive an enhanced level of

safeguarding training.

**Question 9.** Name of Authority

Answer: East London NHS Foundation Trust.

Question 10. Does your authority publish a Modern Slavery statement? If "Yes", please provide a link to your Modern Slavery Statement otherwise enter "Not applicable" or "Not sure".

Answer: Yes, this is published on website here -

https://www.elft.nhs.uk/Modern-Day-Slavery-Statement

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