

## **Information Governance**

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Thank you for your request for information received on 28<sup>th</sup> October 2019. I am sorry for the delay in responding to you. 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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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:

Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF

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## Request:

Please see attached my request for information regarding independent sector mental health provision (Word doc) and a spreadsheet for recording answers (Excel), if possible.

## Answer:

For question 1, please find below websites for commissioners in each of our directorates:

https://www.newhamccg.nhs.uk/ https://www.towerhamletsccg.nhs.uk/ https://www.lutonccg.nhs.uk/home/

https://www.bedfordshireccg.nhs.uk/home/

http://www.cityandhackneyccg.nhs.uk/

To answer questions 2 - 6 questions, we would need to review each patient's record to retrieve this information to find out where our patients were discharged to therefore, the Trust is unable to comply with your request as the cost of compliance and extracting your exact requirements would exceed the appropriate cost limit of £450 which is specified in Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. This is based on a rate of £25 per hour, regardless of the rate of pay of any individual involved in the retrieval of requested information, and equates to 18 hours work.

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