

Information Governance

Robert Dolan House 9 Alie Street London E1 8DE

Email elft.foi@nhs.net

Website: https://www.elft.nhs.uk

Chief Executive: Paul Calaminus

Chair: Eileen Taylor

29 March 2023

Our reference: FOI DA4644

I am responding to your request for information received 17 March 2023. 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,

Nimita Parmar

Information Rights 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:

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

Tel: 0303 123 1113 Web: <u>www.ico.org.uk</u>

Please note that the data supplied is not allowed to be re-used and/or published without the explicit consent of East London NHS Foundation Trust. Please contact the signatory to request permission if this is your intention

Request: I am making this request on behalf of the ELFT branch of Unite.

Could you please supply the following information:

Question 1: The ELFT lead for Neurodiversity

Answer: ELFT does not have a Neurodiversity Lead

Question 2: The number of staff employed by ELFT

Answer: ELFT employs 6,617.24 WTE staff in total.

Question 3: The Number / percentage of staff in ELFT employment who have

declared a neurodiversity.

Answer: The Trust has reviewed question 3 of your request for information under the

Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000.

Section 1(1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 states:

Any person making a request for information to a public authority is entitled—

(a) to be informed in writing by the public authority whether it holds information

of the description specified in the request, and

(b) if that is the case, to have that information communicated to them.

East London NHS Foundation Trust does not record neurodiversity data and

is therefore unable to provide a response.

Chief Executive: Paul Calaminus Chair: Eileen Taylor