

Freedom of Information Request

Ref: 23-117

7 March 2023

By Email

Dear Sir/Madam

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Trust's response is as follows:

- We can confirm that we do hold the information you are requesting

1. Has the Trust undertaken and completed any capital construction projects within the last 5 years?

Yes.

2. If yes, was a post occupancy evaluation (POE) study carried out after the project's completion?

Elements of a post occupancy study may have been conducted, but we don't have records of which projects and which elements that would have been implemented. Over the last 5 years, we haven't initiated a full BSRIA Soft Landing building delivery process on a Capital scheme.

3. If no, what were the reasons for not carrying out a POE?

Not promoted enough by design team and contractors and the Trust are not fully aware of the benefits.

4. If a POE was carried out did the Trust find the results of this beneficial?

Not applicable.

5. If a POE was carried out were the results published and/or shared within the wider NHS?

Not applicable.

6. Please could contact details be provided of anyone within the Trust who would be willing to take part in a more detailed discussion about POE

Capital Project Manager

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This concludes our response. We trust that you find this helpful, but please do not hesitate to contact us directly if we can be of any further assistance.

If, after that, you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. 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:

Data Protection Officer
University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust
Trust Headquarters
Marlborough Street
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Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal 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

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Yours sincerely

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