

**Freedom of Information Request**

**Ref: 21-297**

18 June 2021

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 hold some the information you are requesting

**1. How many staff do you employ?**

- a. How many doctors?\* 1653
- b. How many nurses?\*\* 3419
- c. How many healthcare assistants?\*\*\* 1043
- d. How many porters? 170
- e. How many cleaners? 688
- f. How many physiotherapists? 200
- g. How many occupational therapists? 68
- h. How many social workers? 3
- i. How many administrative staff? 2634
- j. Others?\*\*\*\* 2046

\* a) Excludes dentists

\*\* b) Qualified

\*\*\* c) Healthcare assistants reflects the unregistered nursing workforce

\*\*\*\*j) Others includes dental staff such as dentists and dental nurses, other AHPs, pharmacy, healthcare scientists, estates and catering staff.

**2. How many staff are on site during a typical 12hr day?**

We do not hold this information

**3. How many working computers do you have in clinical areas?**

There are 10,500 computers in the organisation of which 8,400 are PCs and 2,100 are laptops. We cannot split this across clinical and non-clinical areas.

**4. How many parking spaces do you have specifically for staff?**

607

**5. How many on site nutritious food options are there?**

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**a. Is hot food available 24 hours a day?**

Not for visitors or staff.

**b. Are food preparation and storage facilities available to all staff?**

Yes

**6. How many access points to free drinking water are there on site?**

Please note, the Trust does not hold the data in a format that would enable us to fully respond to your request to the level of detail required and a manual trawl for this information would significantly exceed the 18 hours limit set down by the FOI as the reasonable limit. Section 12 of the FOIA provides that we are not obliged to spend in excess of 18 hours in any sixty day period locating, retrieving and identifying information in order to deal with a request for information and therefore we are withholding this information at this time.

**7. Do you routinely provide free tea and coffee making facilities for staff in clinical areas?**

No

**8. How many staff lockers and secure storage areas do you have?**

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**9. Do staff have access to on site changing facilities 24 hours a day?**

Yes

**10. Do staff have access to on site showering facilities 24 hours a day?**

Yes

**11. Are rest facilities available to staff if too tired to drive home following a night shift?**

Yes

**12. How many staffroom or 'mess' facilities are there on site?**

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**. Do you have any dedicated outdoor space for staff?**

Yes

**13. What welfare and wellbeing services are available to staff?**

Please see the attached Workplace Wellbeing document

**14. Is psychological support routinely offered to staff?**

Yes, as part of the inclusive workplace wellbeing offer specified.

**15. Does the trust organise Balint groups or Schwartz rounds for all staff?**

Monthly Schwartz Rounds organised – open to all colleagues.

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:

Director of Corporate Governance  
University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust  
Trust Headquarters  
Marlborough Street  
Bristol  
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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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