

**Freedom of Information Request**

**Ref: 24-072**

21 March 2024

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

**Late Effects of Cancer Services**

**1. Does the Trust provide a Late Effects of Cancer service, which may variously (but not exclusively) be described as:**

**a. Late Effects/LE Service, Radiotherapy Late Effects Service**

Yes

**b. Pelvic, Pelvic Radiotherapy, Pelvic Radiation Disease/PRD Late Effects Service**

Yes

**c. Gastrointestinal & Urological, Gastrointestinal Late Effects Services**

Yes and also some referral on to a neighbouring trust

**d. Gastrointestinal Consequences of Cancer service**

Not specifically but patients are seen by a specialist

**e. Urological Late Effects Service**

Seen in this trust, some referral on to a neighbouring trust

**f. Radiation Cystitis clinic**

Seen in this trust, some referral on to a neighbouring trust

**g. Complex Cancer Late Effects Rehabilitation**

No

**2. Please provide a Service Specification, and/or service description and/or other documents that describe this service (whether standalone or integrated in a broader Service Specification)**

Please see the attached documents

**3. Please provide any subspecialty pathways or protocols related to this service**

Please see the attached documents

**4. Please provide any quality metrics or reports for this service**

The Quality metrics we use are:

EORTC QLQ-C30 ([Quality of Life of Cancer Patients - EORTC - Quality of Life : EORTC – Quality of Life](#))

ED 5D 5L: [How to obtain EQ-5D – EQ-5D \(euroqol.org\)](#)

Alert-B Screening Tool: [The Three-item ALERT-B Questionnaire Provides a Validated Screening Tool to Detect Chronic Gastrointestinal Symptoms after Pelvic Radiotherapy in Cancer Survivors - Clinical Oncology \(clinicaloncologyonline.net\)](#)

**5. What is the title of the clinician who is clinically responsible for patients seen in this service?**

Late Effects Therapeutic Radiographer

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  
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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