

Freedom of Information Request

Ref: 24-408

21 May 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

1. Does the Trust have NHS Child Obesity Clinics?

Yes

If yes please answer the following:

- **The total of physical sites within the Trust?**

Two

- **Which trust/NHS organisation do they reside at?**

University Hospital Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust

- **How many patients did each of the identified clinics support in FY 2022-2023?**

Between approximately 170-200 patients

- **What treatment programmes are provided in each of the identified Child Obesity clinics?**

The clinic offers multi-disciplinary team model of care. The patients have access to medical, nursing, dietetic and psychology support. A combination of these are offered depending on the clinical need.

- **How are these treatment programmes assigned, e.g. home visits, clinics?**

Patients are seen within face-to-face clinics across Trust sites. There are virtual clinics and also occasional home visits where appropriate.

- **How long do treatment programmes continue for?**

The care pathway can range up to 18-24 months.

- **Within these Child Obesity clinics, what digital solutions are in place to support the**

care pathway?

None

• Name of solution

Not applicable

• Name of solution supplier

Not applicable

• Implementation date

Not applicable

• Contract renewal date

Not applicable

• Do these digital tools provide a two-way communication between the patient(parent) and clinician?

Not applicable

• If yes, what additional features do these solutions provide to the patient and clinician?

Not applicable

• Does the trust have plans to advertise a tender to replace these solutions?

No

• If so, confirm the time frame.

Not applicable

If no please answer the following questions?

• Fof you do not have a Child Obesity clinic, how do you support this pathway, e.g. where are patients referred to?

The Trust has a Paediatric Weight Management pathway to support patients.

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.

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Yours sincerely

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