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Dear

INFORMATION REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

We are now pleased to respond to your request for information under the FOI Act.

You asked:

Please note that the answers are provided separately for Adult and Paediatric Diabetes

A. Adults

1. The number of patients with Type 1 diabetes that are currently treated as an outpatient in the hospitals in Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust.
[See Answer to Question 2](#)
2. The number of patients with Type 2 diabetes that are currently treated as an outpatient in the hospitals in Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust.
[Answer to Q1 and 2 combined as separate data not available](#) [3445 Adult patients](#)
3. The number of patients with Type 1 diabetes in the hospitals in Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust with an Insulin Infusion Pump.
[154 Adult patients with Type 1 Diabetes](#)
4. The number of patients with Type 2 diabetes in the hospitals in Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust with an Insulin Infusion Pump.
[1 Adult patient with Type 2 Diabetes](#)
5. The number of Diabetes Specialist Nurses that are employed in Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust as of the 1st October 2017. Please break down the response to this question by pay band e.g. band 6, band 7.

Manager Band 8	0.72 WTE
Senior DSN Band 7	2.76 WTE
DSN band 6	2.3 WTE

6. Is structured education for patients with Type 1 diabetes offered within Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust?
Not Currently

7. The number of patients with Type 1 diabetes that have received structured education within Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust between the period October 1st 2016 to October 1st 2017
0

Please Note Patients see the DSN and Dietitian Separate for Education. We are currently working with the community Trust to set up a Bertie Type Course in earlier 2018. (We previously ran the Wigan Bertie Course 3 times per year but had to cease due to lack of dietitian input).

B. Paediatric

1. The number of patients with Type 1 diabetes that are currently treated as an outpatient in the hospitals in Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust.

Approximately 152 paediatric pts under age of 19yrs

2. The number of patients with Type 2 diabetes that are currently treated as an outpatient in the hospitals in Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust.

1paediatric patient

3. The number of patients with Type 1 diabetes in the hospitals in Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust with an Insulin Infusion Pump.

61 paediatric patients

4. The number of patients with Type 2 diabetes in the hospitals in Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust with an Insulin Infusion Pump.

Nil

5. The number of Diabetes Specialist Nurses that are employed in Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust as of the 1st October 2017. Please break down the response to this question by pay band e.g. band 6, band 7.

1 x full time band 7 and 1 x fulltime band 6 for paediatric diabetes

6. Is structured education for patients with Type 1 diabetes offered within Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust?

Yes

7. The number of patients with Type 1 diabetes that have received structured education within Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust between the period October 1st 2016 to October 1st 2017.

They are all invited to our annual structured education event, we do not have one hundred percent attendance',
We also provide ongoing DSN face to face education at every clinic contact so all our patients have received structured education in this time period.

I trust that this information is helpful to you, however if you are not entirely satisfied with this response please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department on 01257 488271. If we do not hear from you within 28 days we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Andrew Foster', written in a cursive style.

Andrew Foster
Chief Executive

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