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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 Freedom of Information Act.

You asked:

1. *Number of patients seen per year in the pre-operative assessment clinic (average or 2015-16 figures if available)*

Hospital Site	Attendances
BOSTON HOUSE, WIGAN HEALTH CTR	751
LEIGH INFIRMARY	2706
ROYAL ALBERT EDWARD INFIRMARY	4442
THOMAS LINACRE CENTRE	1371
WRIGHTINGTON HOSPITAL	15151
Grand Total	24421

2. *Number of consultant PAs for pre-operative assessment broken down as follows:*
 - a. *PAs for pre-operative assessment lead consultant*
 - b. *PAs for notes review / routine enquiries*
 - c. *PAs for high risk clinic*

None

3. *Do you run a cardiopulmonary exercise testing service?*
No
4. *If yes, how many consultant PAs are dedicated to this. Are they included in the figures above?*

N/A

5. *How many WTE trained nurses do you employ in the pre-operative assessment clinic?*
6. *How many WTE untrained/support staff do you employ in the pre-operative assessment clinic?*

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Department	Qualified Nurses	Unqualified Nursing Support
Leigh Pre-Op Assessment Centre	5.1	0
Ortho Pre-Op Asses Clinic Department	12.8	5.24

7. What was the budget for your pre-operative assessment clinic in 2015-16?

Preoperative assessment is not isolated as a separate function so we do not capture costs or income.

8. How much income was generated by the preoperative assessment clinic in 2015-16?

Please see Q7

I hope you find this information useful, 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,



Andrew Foster

Chief Executive

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