

**Information Governance**

Wrightington Hospital  
Hall Lane  
Appley Bridge  
Lancashire  
WN6 9EP

Tel: 01257 256284  
Email: FOI@wwl.nhs.uk  
Web: www.wwl.nhs.uk

Ref: FOI2019/5742

Date Received: 29<sup>th</sup> October 2019

Response Due: 26<sup>th</sup> November 2019

31<sup>st</sup> October 2019

Dear

**INFORMATION REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000**

**You asked:**

Under the Freedom of Information Act, I would like to request the following information regarding independent sector mental health provision. Where possible, please kindly include responses on the attached spreadsheet.

1. Please supply the name, job title, email address and telephone number of the commissioner/s with responsibility for independent sector mental health services.

*For questions 2 through 4, please provide data for the financial years 2016/17, 2017/18, 2018/19 and 2019/20.*

2. Please provide the total number of adults with a primary diagnosis of mental health admitted during the financial year 2016/17, 2017/18, 2018/19 and so far during the financial year 2019/20 into independent sector:
  - a. Inpatient mental health hospital beds
  - b. Nursing care homes
  - c. Residential care homes (without nursing)
  - d. Supported living
3. Please provide the total number of adults with a primary diagnosis of mental health discharged during the financial year 2016/17, 2017/18, 2018/19 and so far during the financial year 2019/20 from independent sector:

- a. Inpatient mental health hospital beds
  - b. Nursing care homes
  - c. Residential care homes (without nursing)
  - d. Supported living
4. Please provide the **total number of adults** with a primary diagnosis of mental health as a snapshot at the end of financial year 2016/17, 2017/18, 2018/19 and the most up to date snapshot available for 2019/20 **funded** in independent sector:
- a. Inpatient mental health hospital beds
  - b. Nursing care homes
  - c. Residential care homes (without nursing)
  - d. Supported living

*For questions 5 and 6, please provide data for the financial years 2018/19 and 2019/20.*

5. For adults with a primary diagnosis of mental health (referred to in question 4) what is the highest, average, and lowest recorded daily/weekly (*please specify which value is included in your response*) fee in independent sector:
- a. Inpatient mental health hospital beds
  - b. Nursing care homes
  - c. Residential care homes (without nursing)
  - d. Supported living
6. Please provide a list of independent sector providers with which adults with a primary diagnosis of mental health were admitted during 2018/19 and so far during 2019/20:
- a. Inpatient mental health hospital beds
  - b. Nursing care homes
  - c. Residential care homes (without nursing)
  - d. Supported living
- “Adults” refers to working age adults aged 18 to 65.
  - “Independent sector” refers to non-NHS bodies, operated by private sector providers.
  - “Inpatient mental health hospital beds” operated by the independent sector includes High Dependency Units, PICU, locked rehabilitation, secure units, etc.

This Trust does not provide mental health services. Please redirect your query to:

By post, in writing to:

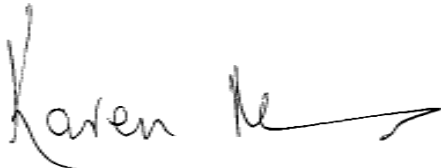
Information Governance and Clinical Coding  
Finance and Informatics Directorate  
North West Boroughs Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust  
Hollins Park House  
Winwick  
Warrington  
WA2 8WA

By email to:

[foi@nwbh.nhs.uk](mailto:foi@nwbh.nhs.uk)

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 that reads "Karen Morris". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Karen Morris  
Information Governance Manager

**PLEASE NOTE:**

The information supplied to you continues to be protected by the Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988. You are free to use it for your own purposes, including any non-commercial research you are doing and for the purposes of news reporting. Any other reuse, for example commercial publication, would require the permission of the copyright holder. You must ensure you gain their permission before reproducing any third party information.

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you should write to: Information Governance Department, Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust, Wrightington Hospital, Hall Lane, Appley Bridge, Wigan, WN6 9EP

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure at: The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF