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Date Received: 22nd August 2024

Response Due: 20th September 2024

Date: 16th September 2024

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 22nd August 2024, I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that we do hold the information you have requested. A response to each part of your request is provided below.

In your request you asked:

- 1. How many members of staff at WWL are trained to sit on the job evaluation panel? 25.
- 2. What is the breakdown of the staff who are available to sit on the job evaluation panel, as in job roles, banding and the number of union representatives with a breakdown of the unions they represent?

	Job Role	Banding	Number of Union Reps	Union Represented	
Management Side:	4 x A&C Management	7			
	2 x Clinical Management	8a/8b	N/A		
	1 x Ancillary Management	8b			
	6 x HR Management	8b			
Staff Side:	3 x Admin & Clerical	2/7/8a	3	3 x Unison	
	4 x Nursing and Midwifery	6/8a	4	4 x Unison	
	2 x Operational Management	6/8b	2	1 x Unison and 1 x Unite	
	2 x IT Services	6/7	2	2 x Unison	
	1 x Trades	5	1	1 x Unite	

3. Of the staff who are available to sit on the job evaluation panel, how many are up-to-date with their job evaluation training?

There are 6 from both the management and staff side who regularly attend panels.

- **4.** How often are job evaluation updates provided? As required.
- 5. What was the date of the last job evaluation training that was carried out for WWL staff? 13/01/2016.
- **6.** How often is job evaluation training ran within the trust? As required.
- 7. Who does the consistency checking?
 Staff Side Chair and the Deputy Chief People Officer.
- 8. At what stage of recruitment is the consistency checking completed?

 If a post is approved to go through the recruitment process pending AFC matching, consistency checking is completely prior to unconditional offer being offered.
- 9. Are copies of the job outcome reports that are issued to managers also sent to the staff member who as requested the job evaluation? Yes if requested, but not as part of the regular process.

If you are not entirely satisfied with this response, please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department via the email address provided. If we do not hear from you within 40 days, we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,



Juliette Tait Chief People Officer

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The Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire, SK9 5AF

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