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Date Received: 9th November 2023

Response Due: 7th December 2023

Date: 5th December 2023

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 9th November 2023, 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 Managers are currently employed in your Trust? In addition to the total number of Managers employed, please provide a breakdown of the number of Managers employed in each department, unit or ward. If you do not keep this information on record for every unit, or ward, please provide this information for as many as you can in a digital format.

Please see the attached spreadsheet.

2. How many managers were fired for gross misconduct in the year ending September 2023? Please redact any personal information.

None.

3. How many managers were fired on grounds of capability in the year ending September 2023? By capability, I refer to poor performance, rather than ill-health, as set out in section 98(2) in the Employment Rights Act (1996). Please redact any personal information.

None.

- 4. Of Managers that are currently employed by the trust:
 - a. How many are below band 8A (according to current Agenda for Change pay rates)?

Provided in attached spreadsheet.

b. How many are above band 8A (according to current Agenda for Change pay rates)?

Provided in attached spreadsheet.

c. How many are currently on long-term sickness leave?

Provided in attached spreadsheet.

d. How many are employed on part time contracts?

Provided in attached spreadsheet.

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,

Tabitha Gardner Chief Finance Officer

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PLEASE NOTE:

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, Suite 9, Buckingham Row, Brick Kiln Lane, Wigan, WN1 1XX.

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision at:

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

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