

Ref: FOI/2024/9542

Date Received: 18th January 2024

Response Due: 15th February 2024

Date: 14th February 2024

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 18th January 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:

- **What percentage of NHS staff in your trust have received training on how with patients with autism and learning difficulties present in hospital?**

73.5% have completed the eLearning for OMMT, OMMT Tier one roll out has commenced with 40 staff members completed to date, OMMT Tier 2 requires training provision to deliver the programme which is underway and being led by NHS GM.

- **How long is the waiting list for training NHS staff in your trust on how patients with autism and learning difficulties present in hospital? Please give in days, weeks or months**

There is no waiting list for the Oliver McGowan Mandatory Training

- **How often is training for NHS staff in your trust provided in how autistic and people with learning difficulties present in hospital?**

The Oliver McGowan Mandatory Training will be completed every 3 years.

- **Do you have any plans in place to train all NHS staff in your trust within the next 12 months? (in relation to how autistic and people with learning difficulties present in hospital)**

Yes

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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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.

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