

**NHS Foundation Trust** 

## Information Governance Department

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Ref: FOI/2024/9879

Date Received: 28th May 2024

Response Due: 25th June 2024

Date: 21<sup>st</sup> June 2024

## Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 28<sup>th</sup> May 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:

- Please provide the standard inpatient menus and vegan inpatient menus used in February 2024, plus the standard inpatient menus and vegan inpatient menus used in June 2024, in the format that is provided to patients.
  Please see attached.
- **2.** If the vegan menu is incorporated into another special menu, please provide that menu. Please see "Additional Menu" on the attached.
- 3. Please provide information on the consumption of each menu item during February 2024 (how many times was each menu item chosen during this period by inpatients?) Please see attached.
- Please confirm how many beds your hospitals have? Royal Albert Edward Infirmary = 574 Leigh Infirmary = 56 Wrightington = 131

The above figures include Day Case, Inpatient Adult and Childrens General & Acute, Maternity and Community beds.

5. How many hospital sites do you have, do they all have the same catering providers? 3 hospital sites.

6. Please confirm who the catering provider is for inpatient menus In house catering from CPU kitchen.

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,

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Tabitha Gardner Chief Finance Officer

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

Helpline number: 0303 123 111