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Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Request for Information

Thank you for your request for information received on 4 June 2018 in relation to the County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust (Trust). We are dealing with your request under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

You requested information regarding audited accounts and various. Specifically you asked for:

1. A copy of the audited accounts for year end 2017-18?

Answer: Please see the previous response letter sent out on 20 April, and note the Trust cannot process your request as it is a repeat request as defined by section 14(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. This states that if a public authority has complied with a request for information, it is not obliged to comply with a subsequent request from the applicant, which is identical or substantially similar unless there has been a reasonable period of time between the making of the original request and the subsequent requests. In view of the fact that each item requested will not change within a short period of time, we consider a reasonable period of time to be at least six months. In this case you have requested the same information on the following occasions, which the Trust has responded to accordingly:

2. The name of the consultant Psychiatrist and their fees that can treat depression and anxiety? Also MRI of brain if need be by doctor?

Answer: The Trust does not provide mental health services. Tees Esk & Wear Valley Foundation Trust should be the first point of contact for this information. If you wish to contact Tees Esk & Wear Valley Foundation Trust, we would advise, in accordance with Section 16 of the Act (duty to provide advice and assistance), that you contact that organisation via the following address:

Trust Secretary's Department
West Park Hospital
Edward Pease Way

Darlington
DL2 2TS

3. The hospital fees for a male circumcision operation and name of urologist surgeons?

Answer: Please see below the prices by year as per national tariff guidance (MFF and CQUIN not applied).

HRG code	HRG name	Combined day case / ordinary elective spell tariff (£)		
		2016/17	2017/18	2018/19
LB56A	Minor Penis Procedures, 19 years and over	767	884	888
LB56C	Minor Penis Procedures, between 2 and 18 years	851	899	904
LB56D	Minor Penis Procedures, 1 year and under	876	899	904

Where the procedure is performed privately outside of the NHS, each private consultant is free to set their own charges.

4. The Name and Addresses of all main NHS Hospitals in cities of Somerset, Devon and Cornwall?

Answer: The Trust is unable to comment on Hospitals outside of the Trust.

In line with the Information Commissioner's directive on the disclosure of information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 your request will form part of our disclosure log. Therefore, a version of our response which will protect your anonymity will be posted on the County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust website.

If you have any queries or wish to discuss the information supplied, please do not hesitate to contact me on the above telephone number or at the above address.

If you are unhappy with the way your request for information has been handled, you can request a review by writing to:

The Chief Executive
County Durham & Darlington NHS Foundation Trust
Darlington Memorial Hospital
Hollyhurst Road
Darlington, DL3 6HX

If, you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request or complaint, you have a right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at:

The Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane

Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

Telephone: 0303 123 1113
Website: www.ico.gov.uk.

There is no charge for making an appeal.

Yours sincerely

Joanna Tyrrell
Freedom of Information Officer