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Date: 4th October 2021

Re: Freedom of Information Request

Ref: 297-2021

Thank you for your email dated the 4th October, requesting information in relation to Mental Health and secure beds.

The information that you require is as follows:

- 1. The number of low secure Children and Adolescent Mental Health Service (CAMHS) and medium secure CAMHS beds within your Authority or Trust and how many of those are currently available for new admissions.**
- 2. The number of low secure CAMHS beds within your Authority or Trust and how many of those are currently available for new admissions.**
- 3. The number of medium secure CAMHS Service beds within your Authority or Trust and how many of those are currently available for new admissions.**
- 4. The number of welfare social care secure beds within your Authority or Trust and how many of those are currently available for new admissions; and**
- 5. The number of forensic secure beds within your Authority or Trust and how many of those are currently available for new admissions.**

Further, please could you kindly provide details of:

- The number of young people within your Authority area or Trust area who have been assessed as requiring a CAMHS Tier 4 mental health bed but have not been admitted due to a shortage in resource (we do not require personal details or reasons for the conclusion reached, just numbers).**

- **The number of young people within your Authority area or Trust area who have been assessed as requiring a CAMHS low secure mental health bed but have not been admitted due to a shortage in resource; and**
- **The number of children accommodated within your Authority area or Trust area in unapproved, unregulated settings. Please note that this information will be treated with the strictest of confidence and your Authority or Trust will not be identified alongside this information within the final research paper when published.**

I can confirm that our Trust does not hold any information in this regard. Our Trust is a tertiary specialist cancer treatment centre, we therefore do not have a Mental Health Facility. Therefore, the information you have requested is not applicable to our Trust in this instance.

Should you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me on the email address provided below.

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for this to be investigated internally.

If you are dissatisfied with the information you have received, you have the right to ask for an internal review.

Both processes will be handled in accordance with our Trust's Freedom of Information Policy and the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Internal investigation and internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to: Freedom of Information Review, The Clatterbridge Cancer Centre NHS Foundation Trust, Clatterbridge Road, Bebington, Wirral, CH63 4JY

If you are not satisfied with the outcome of the internal investigation/review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

In order for us to ensure customer satisfaction and to monitor compliance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000, we would be grateful if you could take a couple of minutes to complete a short feedback form via the link below:

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/H39RFMM>

Kind Regards,

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