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Re: Freedom of Information Request Ref: 331 - 2019

Thank you for your email dated the 16th November 2019, requesting information relating to breast screening and mammograms.

The information that you require is as follows:

Breast Screening – (Asymptomatic)

- Does the trust have a dedicated breast screening service/unit (Asymptomatic mammograms) – This could be separate from the main x-ray department?
- If so, what is the name of the service?
- Is this run in a static unit or on breast screening vans (Or Both)? How many vans does the service run? How many static sites does the service run?
- How many ladies are scanned/screened on average, per day on each van/static unit?
- Does the service scan on a 5 day or 7 day week?
- Who has the overall responsibility for the breast screening service?
- Please provide an organisational chart for the team/department with overall responsibility for the breast screening service

Symptomatic Mammography & Breast Clinics

- Which department has the responsibility for symptomatic mammograms / Symptomatic Breast Lists/Clinics? Does this come under the breast screening unit or the main radiography department of the trust?
- How many ladies are assessed on average per day in the symptomatic breast clinic?
- Does the service scan on a 5 day or 7 day week?

- Who has the overall responsibility for the symptomatic breast clinics?
- Please provide an organisational chart for the team/department with overall responsibility for the symptomatic breast clinics

I can confirm that our Trust does not hold any information in this regard. Our Trust is a tertiary specialist cancer treatment centre and does not conduct breast screenings or symptomatic mammograms/ Symptomatic Breast Lists/Clinics. 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