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Freedom of Information Act 2000

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to the Celebration of Pride in 2020 and 2021

You asked:

- 1. Please can you provide details of any events, physical installations or infrastructure, or other ways the trust has celebrated LGBT+ Pride, during the calendar years 2020, and 2021 to date.*
- 2. Please itemise how much each event / physical installation / piece of infrastructure cost the trust. If the cost was funded or part-funded from external funds (e.g. by an NHS-related charity, by a non-NHS charity, or by a community group) please stipulate how much of the funding came from each external source, and how much from trust funds.*
- 3. If the trust has had more than one event, or put in more than one installation / piece of infrastructure during 2020 and 2021 to date, please give details and a cost breakdown for each separate item.*

Trust response:

1. In June 2021 the Trust flew the rainbow flag at both main sites and in July 2021 the LGBT+ network held a pride celebration by travelling to our main and some subsidiary sites to raise awareness of LGBT+ issues and distribute our NHS rainbow badge to allies.
2. Items for goody bags (pen, post it, keyring, sweets) were funded by charitable funds. Everything else was funded by members of the network.
3. All items listed above.