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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 Learning Disability nurses.

You asked:

- 1. How many Learning Disability nurses have been employed by your trust over the last five years (please supply this information annually, from 2017 to 2022)?*
- 2. Regarding the Learning Disability nurse, or nurses, currently employed by your trust, in which hospital(s) and/or other settings are they based? If the nurse(s) work across multiple settings, please include all of them.*
- 3. Could you share the hours worked by the Learning Disability nurse, or nurses, currently employed? For example, do they cover 9am-5pm or is there 24-hour provision?*
- 4. Could you share the band of the Learning Disability nurse, or nurses, currently employed by your trust?*
- 5. Do you employ any other healthcare professionals with a learning disability speciality?*

Trust response:

1. There are 2 RNLD in the Trust one is working as the Learning Disability Liaison Nurse (LDLN) the other as the Named Nurse for Safeguarding Adults (NNSA)
2. The Tunbridge Wells Hospital at Pembury and the Maidstone Hospital. Based at Pembury but also have the ability to hot desk out of Maidstone Hospital.
3. Core hours are 9-5pm
4. LDLN Band 7
5. Yes RNLD Named Nurse for Safeguarding Adults