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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 Patient Moving.

You asked:

Please could you provide the following information for the time period between January 2022 to December 2022? Please could this information be broken down into annual figures for each individual hospital in the Trust.

- 1. Does your trust have a dedicated falls Lead & Team for patient or staff that fall*
- 2. If yes, What NHS Pay scale band is the falls Lead*
- 3. If yes to having a team, how many people are in the team*
- 4. Does your trust have a dedicated Manual handling Lead & Department (moving & handling or Back care department*
- 5. If yes, What NHS Pay scale band is the Lead Moving and Handler*
- 6. If yes to having a team, how many people are in the back care/Moving handling/manual handling team*
- 7. Does your trust have a dedicated Tissue viability Lead & Team*
- 8. If yes, What NHS Pay scale band is the Tissue Viability Lead Nurse*
- 9. If yes to having a team, how many people are in the Tissue viability team*
- 10. The total number of patients who were admitted to the hospital and were required to stay overnight in a ward (do not need to include day only patients)*
- 11. The total number of Bariatric/plus sized patients who had a BMI of over 30, who were admitted to the hospital and were required to stay overnight in a ward*
- 12. The total number of Bariatric/plus sized patients who required specialist care, i.e. to move, reposition or lift after a fall stayed in the hospital.*
- 13. The total Number of patients who were treated in your Critical Care Unit and were required to stay in the ITU/HDU overnight*

14. The total number of patient slide sheets the Hospital bought to help patients with restricted movement for the period above (Total number of slide sheets bought to move a patient, these are normally either red, yellow or Green)

15. The total number of Slings the Hospital bought for the period above (Total number of slings bought to move a patient)

16. The total number of reported injuries by staff for a Musculoskeletal injury obtained in the workplace - (MSK = Musculoskeletal injuries reported due to being injured in the work place)

17. The total number of patients who acquired a Grade 2 Pressure Ulcer whilst in the hospital:

Where were the total number of pressure ulcers recorded on the body?

Heel

Back

Legs

Head

Not recorded

18. The total number of patients who acquired a Grade 3 Pressure Ulcer whilst in the hospital:

Where were the total number of pressure ulcers recorded on the body?

Heel

Back

Legs

Head

Not recorded

19. The total number of patients who acquired a Grade 4 Pressure Ulcer whilst in the hospital:

Where were the total number of pressure ulcers recorded on the body?

Heel

Back

Legs

Head

Not recorded

20. The total number of patients who acquired an ungradable Pressure Ulcer whilst in the hospital:

Where were the total number of pressure ulcers recorded on the body?

Heel

Back

Legs

Head

Not recorded

Trust response:

1. Lead Nurse for falls Prevention in post

2. Band 8a

3. There are 2 members in the Falls Team

4. Yes there is one Moving and handling Advisor, there is no other staff. An outside training company supports with training

5. Band 6

6. Not applicable

7. Yes
8. Lead Nurse is an 8a
9. 1.8 WTE - 1.0 WTE 8a, 0.8 WTE B7
10. Maidstone Hospital (MGH) – 28814, Tunbridge Wells Hospital (TWH) – 53931
11. The Trust is unable to provide this information as a patients BMI is not recorded as a matter of course.
12. The Trust is unable to provide this information as a patients BMI is not recorded as a matter of course.
13. MGH – 258, TWH – 610
14. 218 washable slide sheets.
15. 65 washable hoist slings
16. There were 89 referrals in the year 2022 relating to workplace musculoskeletal problems.
17. 71 – 35 Maidstone Hospital (MGH), 36 Tunbridge Wells Hospital (TWH)
Heel 6 – 3 MGH, 3 TWH
Back (SPINE) 5 – 2 MGH, 3 TWH
Legs (HIP) 1 MGH
Head 0
Not recorded
18.
Heel 0
Back 0
Legs 0
Head 0
Not recorded
19. 1 hospital acquired Cat 4 – buttock - TWH
Heel 0
Back 0
Legs 0
Head 0
Not recorded
20. 21 – 6 Maidstone, 15 TWH
Heel 1 MGH
Back (SPINE) 1 TWH
Legs (HIP) 1 TWH
Head 0
Not recorded