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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 liaison services.

You asked: All questions are shown as received by the Trust.

- 1. Does your trust have an acute learning disability liaison service? Yes/No [please delete as possible]
- I. If so, what year was it set up and first became active? [For example: 2011] II. What are the service team's working hours? Does the service offer out of hours support? [For example: Mon-Fri 9am to 5pm, no out of hours covered] 2. Do you have any Nursing and Midwifery Council registered nurses in learning disabilities working in the acute learning disability liaison service? Yes/No [please delete as possible]
- I. If yes, what is the headcount number and their agenda for change banding? [for example: 2 X registered nurses in learning disabilities, both band 5]
 II. What are the full time equivalent (FTE) hours or whole time equivalent (WTE) hours that this post or posts amount to? [for example: 1.0 FTE post which equates to 37.5 hours]
- 3. Do you have any other staff members work in the acute learning disability liaison service?
- I. If yes, what is the headcount and their agenda for change banding? [for example: 1 x band 4 staff member]
- II. Please specify the specific roles employed (i.e.: describe whether they are registered adult nurses, registered children's nurses or registered mental health nurses (not registered learning disability nurses) or any other kind of role? (For example: 2 X staff members, of which 1 is a healthcare assistant and 1 is a registered adult nurse) [for example: 1 X healthcare assistant] III. What are the full time equivalent hours (FTE) or whole time equivalent (WTE) hours this post or posts amount to? [for example: 1.0 FTE post which equates to 37.5 hours]

Trust response:

- 1. Yes
- I. 2018
- II. Mon-Fri 9am to 5pm, no out of hours covered
- 2. Yes
- I. 1 x band 7 acute LD liaison nurse, as part of the adult safeguarding team we also have 1 x LD nurse working as named nurse for safeguarding adults band 8b, 1 x LD nurse working as Mental Capacity Nurse Specialist band 8a
- II. each post equates to 37.5 hours WTE per week
- 3. No
- I. Not applicable
- II. Not applicable
- III. Not applicable