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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST Ref: FOI/015821 – Registered audits/QIP/research projects environmental/sustainability

1. The number of registered audits/QIP/research projects (planned and completed) since October 2020 at Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust - 320

3. The number of audits/QIP/research projects that have an environmental/sustainability focus as part of their Agenda - Trust is not aware of any audits/QIP/research projects that have an environmental /sustainability focus as part of their agenda

5. A breakdown of the topics that these audits/QIP/research projects focus on - no formal audits have been conducted

7. Whether Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust has a sustainability lead - Trust does have a designated sustainability lead, and a Working Group with individuals working on different workstreams. The Working Group reports to Finance and Performance Committee twice a year.

9. Whether Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust has a sustainability policy included in clinical governance meetings and junior doctor induction materials. - the Trust has a Green Plan in line with NHS England requirements. A public facing copy can be found on the trust website (Environmental sustainability - The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust (dgft.nhs.uk)) There is also an environmental sustainability page on the Trust Intranet to give more information to staff. Awareness of the Trust's sustainability programme is included in the induction booklet for all staff. As part of the programme, the Trust is introducing a Sustainability Impact Assessment which is being used to inform purchasing and investment decisions