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Russell's Hall Hospital
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Ref: FOI-000355

Date: 3/10/23

Address / Email:

Dear

Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I am following up on a request in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which relates to adult safeguarding.

Q1. Does your organisation have a panel or a 'hoarding panel', which focuses on supporting adults who hoard in their home? - No the Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust does not have such a panel but we do utilise and direct staff to the attached Dudley and West Midlands guidelines and tools. The Trust also has an Adults Safeguarding policy, also see attached.

Q2 . If yes, please can you provide me with a copy of the policy/guidance/standard operating procedure/terms of reference that informs the remit of the panel? – see response above

Q3. Is there policy or guidance in the organisation to support staff, working with or encounter people who self-neglect? - See attached documents

Q4. If yes, please can you provide me with a copy? - see attached documents

For a copy of the documents please contact dgft.foi@nhs.net quoting reference number 000355

If you are dissatisfied with our response, you have the right to appeal in line with guidance from the Information Commissioner. In the first instance you may contact the Information Governance Manager of the Trust.

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Should you disagree with the contents of our response to your appeal, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioners Office at.

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If you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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