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Dudley  
West Midlands  
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**Date:** 9<sup>TH</sup> October 2023

**Address / Email:**

Dear

**Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

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

**Request**

I am writing to request, under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, the following:

1. Please provide the number of Chief Executive Officers your Trust has had since 2010.
2. Please provide the shortest amount of time a Chief Executive Officer has served at your Trust since 2010 (or since you started recording this).

**Response**

Paula Clark was Chief Executive in 2009 and left the Trust September 2016.

Paul Harrison was Acting Chief Executive until Diane Wake took up post in April 2017, Diane Wake is still in post as CEO.

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.

Information Governance Manager  
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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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Wycliffe House  
Water Lane

Wilmslow  
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SK9 5AF  
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If you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

**Freedom of Information Team**  
**The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust**