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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST - Ref: FOI/012394 – Occupational therapy services

I wish to make an FOI request to obtain the following information. This is directed to anyone at the trust who has access to the following information across the Occupational Therapy services provided.

1) What departments and specialties across the trust run an Occupational Therapy (OT) service?

Acute occupational therapy
Intermediate care occupational therapy
Community occupational therapy

2) The structure of any Occupational Therapy management teams along with names of OT leads/ OT managers/

Head of OT/ Hiring managers (OT)
Acute and intermediate care occupational therapy, Clare Brown, Therapy Manager
Community occupational therapy, Pam Ricketts, Dudley Rehabilitation Service Team Leader

3) Does the trust currently (or plan to) employ Locum Occupational Therapy staff, if so, how many Locum Occupational Therapy staff currently work within the trust? With a breakdown of the teams and specialties the Locums work within

There are currently no locum occupational therapy staff in acute, intermediate care or the Community or any plans to employ any.

4) A figure for expenditure on Locum Occupational Therapy staff for the previous financial year

For the financial year 2014/15 it was approximately £10,000 expenditure for occupational therapy in acute.

5) The names of any employee responsible for the recruitment of Locum Occupational Therapy staff at the trust
As per question 2.