The Dudley Group
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I am trying to understand the organisation of (access to) the provision of psychosocial care for kidney patients across all renal units in the UK. Therefore, I would like to ask you to fill in the table below, in order to give me information about the following:
Do renal patients of the (outpatient) renal unit in Russells Hall Hospital have access to any of the services/staff listed below?
If yes, for how many FTE is this staff employed, who funds them and are they renal specific staff or general psychosocial staff?
If possible, I would also like to receive contact details of the psychosocial staff.

	Psychologist	**Social Worker (Qualified)**	**Counsellor**	**Welfare officer**	**Youth Worker**	**Art worker**	**Social Support Worker (unqualified)**	**Play therapist**	**Social care practitioner**	**Any other psychosocial staff (name of post)**
Number of staff + FTE	3 staff	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Funded by	NHS Trust						BKPA - Charity funded			
Renal or general staff	General staff with protected renal unit time.						Covers the Midlands region.			
Contact details										