

Date: Friday, 13th December 2019 Our Ref: MB/SS FOI 4152

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Re: Freedom of Information Request FOI 4152

We are writing in response to your request submitted under the Freedom of Information Act, received in this office on 13th December 2019.

Your request was as follows:

1) What is the email address of the person in your organisation who is responsible for the management of Subject Access Requests / DPA Requests?

The Walton Centre NHS Foundation Trust does not disclose individual staff members contact details. You can write to staff using the address above or alternatively email enquiries@thewaltoncentre.nhs.uk asking for your correspondence to be forwarded on.

2) What percentage of Subject Access Requests have been responded to on time since 25th May 2018? If you do know have this figure please provide a figure for what you do have.

1188 Requests have been received since 25/05/18 until 13/12/19. 1188 (100%) of these requests have been responded to on time.

3) On average how many SAR/DPA requests does your authority receive in a month?

This number varies from month to month, On average the department can receive up to 140 requests a month.

4) How many SAR officers are employed by your organisation who work on Subject Access Requests?

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5) What is the generic email address of the team which deals with SARs / DPA requests within your organisation?

Sarlegalrequests@thewaltoncentre.nhs.uk

6) How many overdue Subject Access Requests do you currently have?

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Please see our response above in blue.

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If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to the Freedom of Information Office at the address above.

Please remember to quote the reference number, FOI 4152 in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioners Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely *Mike Burns* **Mr. Mike Burns, Executive Lead for Freedom of Information**



