

Trust Headquarters Russell's Hall Hospital Dudley West Midlands DY1 2HQ

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Address / Email:

Dear

Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000

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

Request

Please could you kindly complete the spreadsheet attached to provide information on the histopathology and diagnostic cytology tests carried out within the Pathology Laboratory at the Trust over the previous 3 calendar years (April 2021 - March 2024).

All questions relate to histopathology only (including routine immunohistochemistry) and diagnostic cytology, please do not include details for molecular pathology or any other disciplines unless otherwise stated.

Response

The Trust is now part of The Black Country Pathology Services.

The Black Country Pathology Services (BCPS) partnership will integrate pathology services at The Royal Wolverhampton NHS Trust (RWT), with Sandwell West Birmingham Hospitals NHS Trust (SWBH), Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust (DGH) and Walsall Healthcare NHS Trust (WHT). The BCPS will be hosted by RWT on behalf of the partnership.

Your will need to forward your request to the FOI Team at The Royal Wolverhampton NHS Trust.

Email: rwh-tr.foi@nhs.net

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.

Information Commissioners Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF

Tel: 0303 123 1113 www.ico.org.uk

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

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Team
The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust