

Freedom of Information Request

Ref: UHB 19-557

8 October 2019

By Email

Dear Sir/Madam

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Trust's response is as follows:

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 - i. Has your NHS Trust Chief Executive written to your NHS Trust Board of Directors in the last 3 months on Brexit /EU Exit contingency planning in the event of a 'no deal' scenario.
Yes.
 - ii. Has your NHS Trust Chief Executive written to your NHS Trust Board of Directors in the last 3 months on Brexit /EU Exit contingency planning in the event of a 'no deal' scenario mentioning contingency planning for non elective surgery, or mentions of continuing supply of medicines, clinical devices and non consumables at a local level.
Yes.
2. If so please provide;
 - i. all mentions of contingency planning for non elective surgery.
 - ii. All mentions of continuing supply of medicines, clinical devices and non consumables at a local level.
3. The full contents of those letters - and if that can not be provided then summary details including time and dates of letters sent.

For questions 2 and 3 please see attached the most recent Board briefing from the Deputy Chief Executive who is the Executive lead for Brexit planning.

This concludes our response. We trust that you find this helpful, but please do not hesitate to contact us directly if we can be of any further assistance.

If, after that, 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:

Director of Corporate Governance
University Hospitals Bristol NHS Foundation Trust
Trust Headquarters
Marlborough Street
Bristol
BS1 3NU

Please remember to quote the reference number above 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 Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF

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Yours sincerely

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