

Title: Finance Structure

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Further to your Freedom of Information Act request, please find the Trust's response(s) below:

Dear Royal Devon University Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust,

Please provide a Structure Chart of all Finance related Managers, including job titles and names.

Answer: Please find attached Royal Devon University Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust Senior Finance Team structure. The Chief Financial Officer is Angela Hibbard.

The disclosure of staff names would breach the first data protection principle and fail to meet any of the relevant conditions set out in Schedule 2 of the Data Protection Act (DPA) 2018. The first principle in the DPA requires that disclosure must be fair and lawful, and, in particular, personal data shall not be processed unless at least one of the conditions in Schedule 2 is satisfied. The staff concerned would not have expected their names to be disclosed in the public domain and so disclosure would not be 'fair' in the manner contemplated by the DPA. Furthermore, disclosure would not satisfy any of the conditions for data processing set out in Schedule 2 of the DPA. In particular, we do not consider that there is a legitimate interest in disclosure in this case. There is no public interest in making information about our staff available in this way contrary to what would have been their legitimate expectation at the time the information was gathered.

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Senior Finance Team

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