

Date: **28 February 2020**

Our reference: **FOIRQ5635**

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for your request for information processed under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Please see our response to your following request for information:

**Your Request**

- (1) What is the current carbon reduction strategy and policy for your Trust relating to transport used by staff? Please supply a copy of your transport policy.*
- (2) What proportion of staff in community services travelled by public transport, walking or by bicycle in 2019? (Please provide documentation excel format)*
- (3) What was the spending on mileage for staff travelling by car in 2019 (please include spending on commute and spending on travel within shifts separately if possible) (Please provide documentation excel format)*
- (4) What was the spending on mileage for staff travelling by public transport in 2019 (please include spending on commute and spending on travel within shifts separately if possible)? Please provide documentation excel format)*

**Our Request for Clarification and Your Response (in bold)**

We requested you to provide clarification to your request for information below:

- (2) Please define exactly what job description/roles you mean where you refer to "staff in community services."

You replied: ***Staff delivering care in the community and not in hospital.***

- (3) Please confirm where you make reference to "staff travelling by public transport, walking or by bicycle" are you referring to travel only undertaken by staff during their shift in order to carry out their duties?

You replied: ***Yes, travel only during shifts to carry out their duties.***

**Our Response**

Great Ormond Street Hospital for Children NHS Foundation Trust (the 'Trust') is a single site, specialist tertiary paediatric trust. The Trust does not commission any community services at GOSH. We cannot respond to your request for information relating specifically to transport used by staff for providing community services.

Please note:

The information we have provided under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 is the information held on the date your request was received by the Trust.

We hope the information provided is sufficient and helpful in answering your questions or any issues or concerns. Should you have any further queries in relation to this request, please do not hesitate to contact the FOI Team and quote the above reference number on any related correspondence.

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Yours sincerely

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### **Your Rights**

Should you have any questions relating to the response you have received to your request for information, please do not hesitate to contact the FOI Team. Alternatively, you are entitled to make a request for an internal review within two months from the date of receiving our final response to your original request. You can also write to the Head of Quality & Safety at the following address:

Quality & Safety team  
Great Ormond Street Hospital  
LONDON  
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If, however, you remain dissatisfied with the outcome of the internal review then you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioner as the final stage of the FOI process. You can contact the Information Commissioner's Office at the following address:

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