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REQUEST

- 1.. How much revenue did the Trust receive from car parking fees between 1st October 2015 and 1st October 2016?
2. What are the Trusts rates per hour and per day (can you indicate if this varies between hospitals in the Trust)? Is there any way to get a reduction in this rate?
3. Has the Trust increased the parking charge in the last two years and if so by how much?
4. If the Trust car parks are run by an outside firm and can you please say who that is?

RESPONSE

1. The Trust received income from car parking fees (excluding staff permit payments) of £1,255,486 between 1st October 2015 and 1st October 2016.
2. The Trust's car parking rates per hour across both Hospital sites are as follows:
Initial 20 minutes free of charge
20 minutes to 1 hour £1.00
1-2 hours £2.00
2-3 hours £3.00
3-4 hours £4.00
4-5 hours £5.00
5-6 hours £6.00 (maximum charge)

The Trust provides a seven-day, unlimited use, car parking concession ticket for £10 which is transferable between family and friends. In addition, the Trust provides bespoke concessions to individual patients and visitors where appropriate.
3. The car parking revenue generated is used to pay for a safe, secure, convenient car parking at both our hospital sites. The Trust has not increased visitor parking charges over the last two years.
4. The Trust's soft FM services, including the management of car parking, are provided by Medirest, part of the Compass Group.