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Subject: Learning Disability Liaison nurses

REQUEST

1. Does your trust currently directly employ a learning disability liaison nurse(s)?
2. If you have directly employed one or more learning disability liaison nurses in the last five years, how many have you employed and what bands/levels are they? Please provide this information for 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, and 2014.
3. If you currently directly employ a learning disability liaison nurse or nurses, how many hours each day does each hospital in your trust have a learning disability liaison nurse on site? Please specify the hospital and the hours. If no set timetable is available, please provide approximate times.
4. Do you currently directly employ a consultant learning disability nurse? If not, do you have any plans to employ one in the future?
5. If you do not currently directly employ a learning disability liaison nurse, do you have any plans in place to employ one in the future?
6. Does your trust currently host an acute liaison nurse(s) who may be employed by specialist learning disability services?
7. If you have hosted one or more learning disability liaison nurses in the last five years, how many have you employed and what bands/levels are they? Please provide this information for 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, and 2014.
8. If you currently host a learning disability liaison nurse or nurses, how many hours each day does each hospital in your trust have a learning disability liaison nurse on site? Please specify the hospital and the hours. If no set timetable is available, please provide approximate times.
9. If you do not currently employ or host a learning disability liaison nurse, do you have any plans in place to employ or host one in the future?

RESPONSE

Q1

Answer: No

Q2

Answer: The Trust has never employed a liaison nurse within the period stated

Q3

Answer: Not Applicable

Q4

Answer: No: We have no plans to employ a Consultant Learning Disability Nurse.

Q5

Answer: We include the provision of an 'acute learning disability nurse' within the objectives of the Trust internal 'Learning Disability Pathway Group' which includes commissioner representation.

Q6

Answer: No

Q7

Answer: We have not hosted such a nurse within the specified period

Q8

Answer: Not Applicable

Q9

Answer: See answer to Q5 above which may include 'hosting' as well as employing such a resource