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Information requested:

If you are part of a group hospital model, we would like you to return data for each hospital provider who cares for babies, children, and young people.

I would like to know for each hospital in your Health Board, including the following departments:

- Accident and Emergency
- Outpatient
- Diagnostic
- Phlebotomy
- Day case
- Surgical Units
- Inpatient Units
- Neonatal Units

Between 1st April 2021 and 31st March 2022, for each hospital:

1. The name of the hospital and their wards/departments that provide services to 0–17-year-olds
2. The number of admissions for 0–17-year-olds
3. A breakdown of the ethnicity, gender, and deprivation percentiles of 0–17-year-olds admitted
4. The number of 0–17-year-olds treated on an adult ward/bed and reason (e.g., patient choice, bed shortages etc.)

I would also like to know for each hospital:

5. Which Directorate(s) does the Play Team(s) sit in?
6. The number of the following roles, salary band, and approximately how many hours do they work per week?

Job Title	Total Number of Staff	Salary Band	Full-Time (40+ hours)	Full Time (32-40 hours)	Part Time (18-31 hours)	Part Time (Less than 18 hours)	Zero Hours Contract
Play Team – Leader/Manager							
Play Team - Health Play Specialist (HPS)							
Play Team - Senior HPS							
Play Team - HPS Student							
Play Team - Play Therapist							
Play Team - Play worker or play leader							
Play Team-Bank Staff							
Play Team - Volunteers							

Other Play Staff (please specify)							
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7. Does the Play Team lead(s)/manager(s), if you have them, hold a Foundation Degree in Healthcare Play Specialism?
8. If any, how many of your health play specialists are registered with the Healthcare Play Specialist Education Trust (HPSET)?
9. How many hours do your play team typically work during one shift?
10. Which shifts do the Play Team typically work? (Select all that are applicable)

Morning shifts	
Afternoon shifts	
Evening shifts	
Day shifts	
12-hour shifts	
Weekends	

11. Do you have any of the following in each of the specified hospitals? If yes, please specify where these provisions are located (e.g., department/ward name):
 - a. Playful 'non-play team' staff (staff create opportunities for children to play but are not health play specialists nor play workers)
 - i. If yes, where are they located:
 - b. Playrooms or play areas (please specify if these are age-specific)
 - i. If yes, where are they located:
 - c. Toys, games, activities, and play items (please specify if these are age-specific)
 - i. If yes, where are they located:
 - d. Commissioned or voluntary external entertainers who come in occasionally
 - i. If yes, where are they located:
 - e. Starlight provisions (services offered by Starlight)
 - i. If yes, where are they located:
 - f. Other donations for toys and activities
 - i. If yes, where are they located:
12. Is there an annual budget for the delivery of play (e.g., toys, staffing, etc.) in your hospital(s)? If yes, for each individual hospital:
 - a. What is the overall annual budget?
 - b. How much of the budget is for staffing?
 - c. How much of the budget is spent on resources and materials for play (e.g., toys)?
13. Is there a budget available for training and development that play staff can access?
 - a. If yes, how much is this?
14. Do you have a guidance/policy on how Play should be delivered? If yes, please can you attach a copy of this or a link where it can be accessed

Response:

The State Hospital is not part of a group hospital model and does not provide the services relating to babies, children or young people that the request asks for.

For all questions, we provide notice under section 17 of FOISA that we do not hold the information requested.