

Freedom of Information Request

Ref: UHB 17-249

Date 26 May 2017



Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Trusts response is as follows:

I am writing to because we consider Bristol Children's Hospital as one of the gold standard hospitals for children's procedures in the UK. It would be very beneficial to our SIP if you could provide me with some information, in regards to the patient journey through theatre, with emphasis on:

- 1. The child's attire whilst in theatre e.g. Own clothing or a surgical gown etc.**
Children are brought into theatre in a surgical gown
- 2. Do the parents enter the anaesthetic room/operating theatre with their child?**
Parents may enter the anaesthetic room but not the theatre
- 3. If the parents do enter the anaesthetic room/operating theatre, what is their attire e.g. Own clothing, scrubs, overshoes etc.?**
If parents do enter the anaesthetic room, they can usually wear their own clothing

This concludes our response. We trust that you find this helpful, but please do not hesitate to contact us directly if we can be of any further assistance.

If, after that, you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to:

Trust Secretary
University Hospitals Bristol NHS Foundation Trust
Trust Headquarters
Marlborough Street
Bristol
BS1 3NU

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF

To view the Freedom of Information Act in full please click [here](#).

Yours sincerely,

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