

**Freedom of Information Request****Ref: UHB 17-559**

Date 10 October 2017

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

**Please could you tell me the cost of feeding one inpatient per day (patient meal day). I would like the average daily cost for all meals and beverages fed to one inpatient per day. This figure SHOULD NOT include additional costs like staffing. I would just like the figure for how much is spent daily, per patient on all food and drink only.**

**This is not the average cost for a single meal but for all meals and beverages cooked for the patients in one day. Where possible please supply the latest possible data 2016/17 and 2015/16.**

Please see table below:

2015/16	2016/17
£4.88	£4.83

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

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Yours sincerely,

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