

**Freedom of Information Request****Ref: UHB 18-011**

Date 11 January 2018

By Email

Dear Sir

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

- 1) Is University Hospital (NHS foundation trust) registered under the company Act (or the outsourced company)**

University Hospitals Bristol NHS Foundation Trust is not registered under the Company Act.

- 2) Is University Hospital (NHS foundation trust) a primary employer and have employees working abroad (or the outsourced company), see attached document for clarification**

The Trust employs all staff directly and has no outsourced company partner, nor does it have employees working abroad.

- 3) Has University Hospital (NHS foundation trust) cooperated with the Child Support Agency for collection of child maintenance, as a primary employer for employees working abroad residence rule four university hospital employees abroad (or the outsourced company), see documentation for clarification**

The Trust occasionally receives statutory requests to collect child maintenance and complies with them. This is only for staff working in Bristol, as the Trust has no staff working abroad.

- 4) Has University Hospital (NHS foundation trust) as primary employer cooperated with Child Maintenance Service since under New rules 2012 residence rule four University hospital employees working abroad (or the outsourced company), See attached documents for clarification**

Not applicable – see above responses.

- 5) Has University Hospital (NHS foundation trust) as primary employer have a outsourced company for staff wishing to work abroad and have university hospital remain their primary employer**

Not applicable – see above responses.

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  
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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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