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Thank you for your request concerning CCG Reimbursement For Inpatient Services.

Your request has been considered and processed in accordance with the requirements of the Freedom of Information (FOI) Act 2000.

I am writing with a Freedom of Information request regarding reimbursement for mental health inpatient services.

Please provide average reimbursement that you receive from the CCG or NHS England per day for the specialities that you provide in your trust for the financial year 2020-21, 2019-20, 2018-19. Below is a list of possible specialities that you may provide:

- Forensic Medium Secure Units
- Forensic Low Secure Units
- Forensic Medium Secure Units for People with Learning Disability
- Forensic Low Secure Units for People with Learning Disability
- Psychiatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU)
- General adult mental health
- Rehabilitation and Recovery
- Neuropsychiatry
- Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) speciality units
- General Learning Disability
- Complex Learning Disability (additional diagnosis such as autism)
- Personality Disorder
- Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS) Tier 4 Eating Disorders
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Like all NHS Foundation Trusts we are regulated by NHS Improvement (NHSI) under the Health and Social Care Act 2012. We provide integrated health and social care across community and inpatient settings treating and caring for people across Hertfordshire, and within Buckinghamshire, Norfolk and Essex. Most of our income comes from contract arrangements with our commissioners. Our largest contract is with the Integrated Health and Care Commissioning Team who act on behalf of East and North Herts Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG), Herts Valleys CCG and Hertfordshire County Council. Our income is largely paid as a fixed sum which is subject to the national annual adjustment to reflect inflation and the efficiency expectation. Additional income sums are also negotiated annually with commissioners for new services or variations in existing service agreements. This is largely secured through commissioners complying with the Mental Health Investment Standard requirement to ensure that the investment in mental health services as a minimum grows each year in line with the growth in the commissioner funding allocation.

Because of this it is not possible to provide you with the requested breakdown into individual services.



For more information regarding our income please follow this [link](#) to our annual report.

Should you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Please find enclosed an information sheet regarding copyright protection and the Trust's complaints procedure in the event that you are not satisfied with the response.

Yours sincerely

Sue Smith

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Information Rights Officer

Enc: Copyright Protection and Complaints Procedure Information Leaflet.

If you would like to complete a short survey in relation to your Freedom of Information request please scan the QR code below or click [here](#).

