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Thank you for your request concerning Associate Hospital Manager Appointment.

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

**I request that you provide the following data and information:**

- 1. The equality and diversity (E&D) data you hold on those persons currently appointed by Hertfordshire Partnership University NHS Foundation Trust to exercise the hospital managers' discharge power contained in s.23 of the Mental Health Act 1983. The post to which these individuals are appointed is generally referred to as that of 'Associate Hospital Manager' (AHMs) or 'Hospital Manager', although other titles exist.**
- 2. If applicable, please separate the data for the Chair and Non-Executive Directors who exercise the s.23 power, and any other persons appointed specifically to exercise the power AHMs).**
- 3. The total number of people currently appointed by the Trust as AHMs.**

Please see attached Appendix as requested.

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*

**Sue Smith  
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](#).

