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Our Ref: FOI/04800

Thank you for your request concerning Autism and ADHD training in the Trust.

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

- 1) **How many of the following people at Colne House, Watford, Mental Health on floor 2, have received specific training in Autism?**

	Number of Staff at Colne House with Autism Training
Add Prof Scientific and Technic	2
Additional Clinical Services	13
Admin & Clerical	7
Allied Health Professionals	6
Medical and Dental	0
Nursing & Midwifery (Registered)	5

- 2) **How many of the following people at Colne House, Watford Mental Health on floor 2, have received specific training in Adult ADHD?**

	Number of Staff at Colne House with Adult ADHD Training
Add Prof Scientific and Technic	0
Additional Clinical Services	0
Admin & Clerical	0
Allied Health Professionals	0
Medical and Dental	0
Nursing & Midwifery (Registered)	0

- 3) **How many of the following people at Colne House, Watford Mental Health on floor 2, have received specific training in both Autism and ADHD?**

Please see the answer to question 1.

3.5) What are the names of the therapist trained in Autism and ADHD?

We are unable to provide you with employee's names trained in Autism and ADHD because this would contravene UK GDPR data protection principle 6(a).

Article 6 clearly states that processing shall only be lawful if and to the extent that at least one of the follow applies:

- (a) the data subject has given consent to the processing of his or her personal data for one or more specific purposes;

We do not have consent to publicly identify individuals training records¹.

4) What sort of training do the people working at Colne House Mental Health on floor 2, recieve for Autism and ADHD? How long is the training? How often is the training?

The Oliver McGowan training is available to HPFT staff. This is an eLearning package of 1.5 hours renewed very 3 years.

5) Are there specific adaptionns and reasonable adjustments made at Colne House, Watford, Mental Health Unit, Floor 2, for people who are neurodivergent? If so what?

No.

6) How many people are there working at Colne House Mental Health on floor 2? Could I have a breakdown of how many people in each role?

	Number of Staff working at Colne House
Add Prof Scientific and Technic	47
Additional Clinical Services	58
Admin & Clerical	40
Allied Health Professionals	18
Medical and Dental	9
Nursing & Midwifery (Registered)	46

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](#).



¹ Section 40(2) - Personal Data has been applied. This is because by releasing this information could identify individual(s) and constitute a breach of the Data Protection Act (2018).