Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 12 October 2018.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

Topic - Outlying and Digital Innovation in England

Please answer the following questions for Milton Keynes University Hospital between September 2017 and September 2018.

1. **What is the average cost of a bed per day?**

   £397

2. **What is the average length of stay for a outlying patient?**

   The Trust does not record this information

3. **What is the average length of stay for a medical patient?**

   3.5 days.

4. **What is the average length of stay for a surgical patient?**

   1.7 days.

5. **How many patients have been outlied per month in the past 12 months?**
6. **What is the average number of outlying patients per week?**
7. **What system does the hospital use to keep track of the outlying patients?**
8. **Which month had the most outlying patients between September 2017 and September 2018? How many were there? and what was the average length of stay for these outlying patients?**
9. **What percentage of all outlying patients exceed their EDD (expected date of discharge)?**
10. **What percentage of outlying patients are moved after 5pm?**
11. **How many elective operations have been cancelled as outlying medical patients are occupying surgical beds?**

    With regards to questions 5 – 11 the Trust does not record this information in an electronic format.

As a teaching hospital, we conduct education and research to improve healthcare for our patients. During your visit students may be involved in your care, or you may be asked to participate in a clinical trial. Please speak to your doctor or nurse if you have any concerns.

Chief Executive: Joe Harrison
Chairman: Simon Lloyd

12. How many patients have breached the A&E 4hr waiting target in in the past 12 months?

This information is publically available at https://www.england.nhs.uk/statistics/statistical-work-areas/ae-waiting-times-and-activity/

13. How many patients breached the A&E 4hr waiting target because there was a wait for a bed in the past 12 months?

14. How many patients were directly admitted from A+E to a ward inappropriate for their acute condition?

The Trust does not record the information requested in Questions 12 & 13 above in an electronic format.

15. What are the names of the private companies that have sold digital products to Milton Keynes University Hospital in the last 12 months?

16. Has Milton Keynes University Hospital purchased or licensed an application (App) from a private provider in the last 12 months. If so what was the total financial spend on this App in the last 12 months?

17. Has Milton Keynes University Hospital purchased or licensed iOs or android handheld or wearable devices from a private provider? If so what was the total financial spend on this App in the last 12 months?

The Trust is currently working with Zesty on a patient website/app that currently provides appointment information and the ability to cancel/rebook

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Yours sincerely,

Freedom Of Information Co-ordinator
For and on behalf of Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust