



Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 08 July 2022.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

A list of all the staff networks at the trust

BAME network

Ability network

Pride Network

Faith and belief network

Armed forces network

Women's network

Whether each network receives funding from the trust and, if so, how much (please express annually for the last three financial years)

No funding currently however, networks can make a request for funding for items/events should they wish to.

How much FTE equivalent staff time each network is entitled to. For example, a staff network may have a chair who's entitled to spend 10% of their working hours devoted to the network (please express annually for the last three financial years)

Network Chairs (incl. Deputy Chairs) are entitled to half a day per week (3 ³/₄ hours per week based on 1.0 WTE contract of employment) of protected time for network duties. Network members are entitled to half a day every two weeks (3 ³/₄ hours over 2 weeks based on a 1.0 WTE contract of employment).

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 A list of events that each network has held in this financial year so far (April to the present day), including the title of the event, information on any guest speakers and the time of the event

April 2022 - Faith Network - Interfaith Iftar at MK College (07 April 2022)

April 2022 – Ability Network – World Parkinson's Day promotion and awareness events (19 April 2022)

April 2022 – Ability Network – MS Awareness Week resources and awareness events (25 April 2022)

April 2022 – Faith Network – Visit to Gurdwara (19 April 2022)

April 2022 – Faith Network – Meeting with local church leaders at New Life Church, Milton Keynes (21 April 2022)

May 2022 – Ability Network – Deaf Awareness Week + Deaf Awareness Day display stand & event promotion (02-08 May 2022)

May 2022 – Faith Network – Visit to Buddhist Temple (03 May 2022)

May 2022 – Ability Network – Equality Diversity and Human Rights Week promotional and information event (04 May 2022)

May 2022 – Ability Network – ME Awareness Day promotion and resource events (12 May 2022)

June 2022 - BAME Network - Awareness of BAME network events

June 2022 – Pride Network - Transgender Healthcare Considerations training (10 June 2022)

- June 2022 Armed Forces Network Armed Forces Week (WC 20 June 2022)
- June 2022 Faith Network Visit to Reformed Synagogue (24 June 2022)

June 2022 – Armed Forces Network - Event in the Tent (29 June 2022)

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Yours sincerely,

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

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