



# Humber Teaching NHS Foundation Trust

## Freedom of Information Request **20 120**

**Our Reference:** FOI 20 120 / AA / LB / PB  
**Name:**  
**Date:** 13 August 2020  
**Address:**

Dear

Further to your Freedom of Information Request, please find the Trust's response below:

I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, related to your organisation's current approach to sustainability and sustainable development.

The information that I am seeking to collect is as follows:

1. Could you please confirm whether your organisation has a sustainability or sustainable development strategy.  
[Humber Teaching NHS Foundation Trust \("the Trust"\) does have a sustainable development strategy.](#)
  - a. If possible, please provide a copy.  
[The Trust Sustainable Development Management Policy \(SDMP\) is currently under review in line with guidance from the Sustainable Development Unit. In future, this will be referred to as the Green Plan. As this is under review, we are unable to forward a copy at this time.](#)
2. If you answered yes to the first question can you confirm:
  - a. Whether there is a strategy group or work/action plan in place to support this strategy?  
[Yes, the SDSG \(Sustainable Development Steering Group\)](#)
  - b. When the strategy was first developed within the organisation (year).  
[2017](#)
3. Is there an identified Executive Sponsor for sustainability within the organisation?  
[No](#)
4. Are any members of staff dedicated to sustainability or sustainable development within the organisation? If so, how many hours per week are dedicated to this area of work, what is their job title and what Agenda for Change pay band are they?  
[Yes, the Trust has a full time Environmental Manager on an A4C Band 5.](#)
5. Does your organisation have any environmental champions? If so, how many?



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No

6. Do you offer any sustainability training for your staff? If so, what format is this delivered in (e.g. face to face, e-learning, etc)?

No

7. Is your organisation 'paperless'?

No

- a. For NHS Trusts and CCGs providing clinical services (such as Continuing Health Care), if not, what year do you anticipate fulfilling the NHS target to fully digitise clinical records?

2022

8. Have you engaged with the NHS Sustainable Development Unit over the past five years? If so, could you provide the names of the project titles that you worked with them on.

Yes, SDAT (Sustainable Development Assessment Tool)

9. Does your organisation assess its impact on the environment when making decisions through use of a sustainability framework or another similar tool?

No

Kind regards,

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