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Dear

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION – STAFFING

I write in response to your request for information in relation to staffing detail within NHS Lothian.

Question:

- Please provide the following staffing information

Answer:

1. Please could you provide the name and email for the following job roles withing your organisation, as of March 2024:
 1. Chief Operating Officer: Chief Officer, Acute Michelle Carr michelle.carr@nhs.scot
 2. Deputy Chief Operating Officer: N/A
 3. Director of Performance: N/A
 4. Director of Operations: N/A
 5. Associate/deputy Director of Operations: N/A
 6. Patient Access Manager: **Head of Access** Hazel Nielson hazel.neilson@nhs.scot
2. Please could you provide the names and email addresses for the following, within the following specialities:

General Surgery

Clinical Director: Sarah Thomasset sarah.thomasset@nhs.scot

Urology

Clinical Director: Voula Granitsiotis voula.granitsiotis@nhs.scot

Trauma & Orthopaedics

Clinical Director: Gavin Macpherson gavin.macpherson@nhs.scot

Service Manager:

ENT

Clinical Director: Ian Nixon ian.nixon@nhs.scot

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Lothian NHS Board is the common
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Ophthalmology

Clinical Director: Jas Singh jas.singh@nhs.scot

Dermatology

Clinical Director: Chandra Bertram Chandra.bertram@nhs.scot

Cardiology

Clinical Director: Nick Cruden nick.cruden@nhs.scot

Please note that NHS Lothian has a policy at not releasing the names and details of staff below a senior level (this includes the services managers). This information is considered exempt under Section 38(1)(b) of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 – personal information.

I hope the information provided helps with your request.

If you are unhappy with our response to your request, you do have the right to request us to review it. Your request should be made within 40 working days of receipt of this letter, and we will reply within 20 working days of receipt. If our decision is unchanged following a review and you remain dissatisfied with this, you then have the right to make a formal complaint to the Scottish Information Commissioner within 6 months of receipt of our review response. You can do this by using the Scottish Information Commissioner's Office online appeals service at www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal. If you remain dissatisfied with the Commissioner's response you then have the option to appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law.

If you require a review of our decision to be carried out, please write to the FOI Reviewer at the email address at the head of this letter. The review will be undertaken by a Reviewer who was not involved in the original decision-making process.

FOI responses (subject to redaction of personal information) may appear on NHS Lothian's Freedom of Information website at: <https://org.nhslothian.scot/FOI/Pages/default.aspx>

Yours sincerely

ALISON MACDONALD
Executive Director, Nursing, Midwifery and AHPs
Cc: Chief Executive