

Freedom of Information Response

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1. How many registered children's nurses (Whole Time Equivalent) are employed at your organisation? Please list by clinical area.

Holly Ward (Hinchingsbrooke Hospital): 22.4 WTE in post and 2.0 WTE vacancies

Special Care Baby Unit (Hinchingsbrooke Hospital): 15.12 WTE in post. These are registered nurses, including Qualified in Speciality, RNC and midwives.

2. How many support workers (Whole Time Equivalent, bands 1-4) are working in your children's service? Please list by clinical area.

Holly Ward: 2.0 WTE: band 2 HCSW, 1.49 WTE: band 2 housekeepers, 0.83 WTE: band 4 nursery nurses supporting the play therapist

SCBU - 0.56 WTE: band 2 housekeeper, 4.98 WTE: band 4 nursery nurses

3. How many nurses (Whole Time Equivalent) deliver your community children's nursing service? Please list by clinical area.

This is not applicable to our Trust.

4. How many clinical specialist children's nurses do you have in your service? Please list their clinical specialisms, e.g. 1x haematology; 2x epilepsy.

1.53 WTE: diabetes specialist nursing (1 x band 7, 1 x band 6)

5. How many advanced neonatal nurse practitioners do you have in your service?

None

6. How many advanced paediatric nurse practitioners do you have in your service?

None

7. Do you have transition (children's to adults' services) nursing roles? If yes, how many? Do any have clinical specialisms? If so, please list their clinical specialisms, e.g. 1x haematology; 2x epilepsy.

Not in the Acute service.

8. Do you employ a play specialist?

Holly Ward: 1 x play specialist (please see question 2 re: support to play specialist)



9. How many inpatient beds are there designated for children and young people? Please provide a number against the following and list by clinical area:
- a. Neonates: SCBU: 10 beds (1 x intensive care, 1 x high dependency and 8 x special care)
 - b. Children's: 12 x inpatient beds with 1 x HDU alongside 6 x daycase beds and a PAU that can cater for 6 patients.
 - c. Adolescents: included in children's.
10. What were the key gaps in knowledge and skills within the children's nursing workforce identified by your most recent Training Needs Analysis or courses commissioned through Non-Medical Education and Training (NMET)?

Holly Ward: High dependency care of the sick child. EPLS training.

SCBU: Central funding withdrawal for QIS neonatal courses.