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Doncaster and Bassetlaw Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

Freedom of Information Act Request

I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

1. **Counties Covered**

Please list the counties or geographical areas your Trust provides services to.

Doncaster and Bassetlaw Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust primarily provides services to patients across South Yorkshire and North Nottinghamshire, including the areas of Doncaster, Bassetlaw and surrounding localities.

2. **Senior Lived Experience Leadership Roles**

Please list any senior roles within your Trust that have *overall* responsibility for lived experience functions.

This may include leadership of:

- Peer Support services
- Co-production / Involvement
- Recovery College
- Lived Experience workforce or Expert by Experience programmes

For each role, please provide:

- Job title
- Agenda for Change band (or equivalent)
- Directorate or service area

The Trust does not have any senior roles with overall responsibility for lived experience functions as described in the request, including leadership of Peer Support services, Co-production/Involvement, Recovery College services, or Lived Experience/Expert by Experience programmes.

3. **Specific Leadership Roles**

For the following roles, please confirm whether they exist in your Trust. If they do, please provide the job title and AfC band:

- Manager for Co-production
- Manager for Involvement
- Recovery College Manager
- Peer Support Manager
- Senior Lived Experience Lead / Expert by Experience Lead

If your Trust uses different job titles but the roles are equivalent, please list the closest match.

The Trust does not have the following roles:

- Manager for Co-production
- Manager for Involvement
- Recovery College Manager
- Peer Support Manager
- Senior Lived Experience Lead / Expert by Experience Lead

Nor does it have equivalent roles operating under different job titles.

4. **Role Structure**

If any of these functions are combined into a single role, please specify how they are structured.

As the Trust does not have dedicated roles or services relating to Peer Support, Co-production, Recovery College provision, or Lived Experience/Expert by Experience programmes, there is no formal role structure in place for these functions.
The Trust does, however, engage with patients, carers and members of the public through a range of voluntary involvement forums and engagement activities. These are supported through existing service, patient experience and engagement arrangements and are not delivered through dedicated lived experience leadership posts.

Whilst the Trust does not have dedicated roles for peer support, co-production, recovery college or lived experience functions, aspects of patient experience, patient engagement, equality, diversity and inclusion are considered within the remit of a number of broader corporate and operational leadership roles across the organisation.

I am not requesting any personal information about post-holders — only job titles, bands, and structural information.

If you are not satisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to request an internal review. Requests for an internal review should be submitted within 40 working days from the date of this response, and should be addressed to d.wraith@nhs.net.

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