Ref: FOI/00330/CMICB

18 April 2023

Dear,

Re: Freedom of Information Act 2000 EDI Salaries

Thank you for your information request indicated in bold below, which has now been considered under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 by NHS Cheshire & Merseyside Integrated Care Board (ICB). I am able to provide you with the following information and responses.

Please note from 01 July 2022, Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs) were disestablished, and their statutory functions and responsibilities inherited by NHS Cheshire and Merseyside ICB.

Your Request:

- 1) Please can you provide me with the number of employees employed on 1st April 2023 (or the closest date to this where you have the data) whose role is specifically focused on the promotion of equality, diversity and inclusion.
- 2) Please also provide me with each of these employees' annual salaries in GBP.

Our Response:

1 - 2) NHS Cheshire & Merseyside ICB employs an Associate Director of EDI (Band 8C), a Workforce EDI Manager (Band 8B) and an OD/EDI Coordinator (Band 8A).

Should you require any further information or clarification regarding this response or do not feel that your request has been answered as you would expect, please contact us to discuss.

We also wish to take this opportunity to inform you that, where you are not satisfied with the response to your request for information, a formal complaints and internal review process is available.

This can be formally requested by emailing <u>foi@cheshireandmerseyside.nhs.uk</u> and must be done within a reasonable time period (3 calendar months) from the date this response was issued.

Where you remain dissatisfied with our review under the Freedom of Information Act or the Environmental Information Regulations, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioners Office (ICO) for a review of your appeal decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted our complaints procedure. The ICO can be contacted at;

The Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF www.ico.gov.uk

Should you need any further clarification or assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us quoting the above FOI reference.