

**Freedom of Information Request: 0485 2019/20**

University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust (UHB) completed a merger by acquisition of Heart of England NHS Foundation Trust (HEFT) on 1<sup>st</sup> April 2018. Due to historical differences in data collection/reporting across UHB and the former Heart of England NHS Foundation Trust this response has been provided by hospital site.

**Queen Elizabeth Hospital Birmingham:**

**Breast Screening – (Asymptomatic)**

1. **Does the trust have a dedicated breast screening service/unit (Asymptomatic mammograms) – This could be separate from the main x-ray department?**  
Yes
2. **If so, what is the name of the service?**  
South Birmingham Breast unit
3. **Is this run in a static unit or on breast screening vans (Or Both)? Both**
  - a. **How many vans does the service run? 2**
  - b. **How many static sites does the service run? 1**
4. **How many ladies are scanned/screened on average, per day on each van/static unit?**  
60 invited (nos screened between 30-50 average)
5. **Does the service scan on a 5 day or 7 day week?**  
One van works 5 days per week one van works 2 days per week. Static screening over 3 sessions including alternate Saturdays.
6. **Who has the overall responsibility for the breast screening service?**  
Director of Breast Screening
7. **Please provide an organisational chart for the team/department with overall responsibility for the breast screening service**  
Please see attached document

**Symptomatic Mammography & Breast Clinics**

8. **Which department has the responsibility for symptomatic mammograms / Symptomatic Breast Lists/Clinics? Does this come under the breast screening unit or the main radiography department of the trust?**  
Main Imaging Department
9. **How many ladies are assessed on average per day in the symptomatic breast clinic?**  
Between 15-20 patients per clinic
10. **Does the service scan on a 5 day or 7 day week?**  
5 day week WLI clinics Saturdays/Sundays ad hoc

**11. Who has the overall responsibility for the symptomatic breast clinics?**

Lead Breast Radiologist

**12. Please provide an organisational chart for the team/department with overall responsibility for the symptomatic breast clinics**

As we are currently merging organisations we do not currently have a unified symptomatic structure

Heartlands, Good Hope and Solihull Hospitals:

**Breast Screening – (Asymptomatic)**

**1. Does the trust have a dedicated breast screening service/unit (Asymptomatic mammograms) – This could be separate from the main x-ray department?**

No

**2. If so, what is the name of the service?**

Not Applicable

**3. Is this run in a static unit or on breast screening vans (Or Both)? How many vans does the service run? How many static sites does the service run?**

Not Applicable

**4. How many ladies are scanned/screened on average, per day on each van/static unit?**

Not Applicable

**5. Does the service scan on a 5 day or 7 day week?**

Not Applicable

**6. Who has the overall responsibility for the breast screening service?**

Not Applicable

**7. Please provide an organisational chart for the team/department with overall responsibility for the breast screening service**

Not Applicable

**Symptomatic Mammography & Breast Clinics**

**8. Which department has the responsibility for symptomatic mammograms / Symptomatic Breast Lists/Clinics? Does this come under the breast screening unit or the main radiography department of the trust?**

Main X-ray department

**9. How many ladies are assessed on average per day in the symptomatic breast clinic?**

28 fast track patients per day, and 2 USS guided biopsies, or approximately 24 OPD mammos depending on room and staff availability.

**10. Does the service scan on a 5 day or 7 day week?**

Most days 5 days, and WLI at the weekends

**11. Who has the overall responsibility for the symptomatic breast clinics?**

Breast Lead Radiologist

**12. Please provide an organisational chart for the team/department with overall responsibility for the symptomatic breast clinics**

