

Reference: FOI 38206 GLO 11M

Subject: Legal Department

I can confirm that the CCG does hold the information requested; please see responses below:

QUESTION	RESPONSE
<p>1. Which department or departments are responsible for overseeing legal affairs when your CCG is a party to a legal Hearing e.g. Legal Services, HR? Legal hearings such as those brought against or for the CCG – (high court, coroners court, criminal proceedings), or more internal matters eg. Employment Tribunal</p>	<p>Governance Team</p>
<p>2. Please can you provide the name and contact details of the people overseeing this department(s)?</p>	<p>Christina Gradowski, Associate Director of Corporate Affairs GLCCG.enquiries@nhs.net .Please address any correspondence for the attention of Ms Gradowski.</p>
<p>3. Within this department(s), please, can you provide the details of staff who are responsible for day-to-day managing of the following legal areas; Commercial Litigation, Crime, Crime-Fraud, Employment, Intellectual Property, Litigation General.</p>	<p>The CCG does not have a legal department. The CCG commission's legal services from Bevan Brittan, as required.</p> <p>There is a counter fraud team that provides counter fraud services to the CCG and other NHS organisations in Gloucestershire. Contact details for Counter Fraud is as follows:</p> <p>Ghn-tr.fraudAccountMailbox@nhs.net</p>

<p>4. Which department or departments are responsible for managing/supporting staff who are giving evidence at a legal hearing i.e. providing time off to attend court or providing support with training.</p>	<p>The Governance Team, relevant senior managers and Bevan Brittan, as appropriate and required.</p>
<p>5. Please can you provide the name and contact details of the people overseeing this department(s)?</p>	<p>See question 2</p>

The information provided in this response is accurate as of 25 February 2021 and has been authorised for release by Cath Leech, Chief Finance Officer for NHS Gloucestershire CCG.