FOI 1906

Date 23/01/2023

Dear Requester,

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request. Please note, this is a cross-site response for Bedford site and Luton site.

You asked:

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| **Request** | **L&D** | **Bedford** |
| * Do you offer a subsidy to all your staff in the Trust canteen? * If yes, is it for hot food, cold food, or both? * What format does the subsidy take? Is it a cash amount, percentage discount, or other (please specify) * What is the typical price of a sandwich in your canteen? * What is the price of a hot main meal (other than baked potato with filling) for staff? | 10% discount for staff provided by ISS (outsourced Company)  Hot  A reduced price  £3  £5 | One main meal a day at a subsidised rate  Hot  A reduced price  £2.51  £6.50 |

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Yours sincerely,

*FOI Officer*

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