FOI 1917

Date 11/01/2023

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:

1. **How much is an annual parking permit for a full-time member of nursing staff?**

This is currently free for all staff

1. **How much is a monthly parking permit for a full-time member of nursing staff?**

This is currently free for all staff

1. **If there is more than one hospital site at your trust, are the permit charges the same for each site? If they differ, please specify.**

Yes

1. **How much does it cost for a member of staff without a permit to park at the trust for 12 hours? How much to park beyond 12 hours?**

This is currently free for all staff

1. **Is the annual/monthly cost of a parking permit the same price for all members of staff, or determined by pay band?**

This is currently free for all staff

1. **Are nursing students on placements able to apply for a permit? Or are they exempt from parking charges?**

This is currently free for all staff

1. **Does the trust supply its own parking services or is it contracted out to a company? If so, who?**

The service is provided by Apcoa

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 Yours sincerely,

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