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Organisational Chart & Job Descriptions for Belfast Trust ICT Department Staff Band 8A and Above

Please provide the organisational chart for the BHSCT ICT Department from 8A and above

Belfast Health and Social Care Trust can confirm that a Senior Management Team (SMT) structure exists showing Co-Director, Band 8B and Band 8A roles arranged in a hierarchy.

Belfast Trust has withheld disclosure of the organisational chart / hierarchy, as disclosure of the detailed hierarchy and function-specific titles would support cyber reconnaissance by mapping governance, resourcing and operational ownership for core digital services; aggregated disclosures increase attack surface and facilitate targeted attacks (including phishing).

Provide a copy of all Job Descriptions for the ICT Department from 8A and above.

Belfast Trust holds the following job descriptions:

1 x Co-Director
7 x 8B
12 x 8A

The Trust has withheld job description content, as this would provide insight into operational responsibilities, interfaces and resourcing for core services, which the Trust identifies as valuable cyber reconnaissance; resourcing knowledge can increase credibility of phishing and direct threat actors to attack surfaces.

All the above information has been withheld under Section 31(1)(a) – Prevention or detection of crime

Section 31 is a Qualified Exemption and is therefore subject to a Public Interest Test (PIT).

I can confirm that we have carried out a PIT and the outcome is to maintain the exemption and withhold the information from release.