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Dear Mr Brown

Thank you for your request for information.

Your Request

What are your policies on two females seeking fertility?

Two men seeking an egg/surrogacy?

What guidelines are given to GPs to refer is so can you furnish a copy?

Our Response

The Blackpool Teaching Hospitals fertility policy is based on NICE guidelines and eligibility for funding by CCG. The relevant policy document, OBS/GYNAE/GUID/124 is currently awaiting Trust ratification, once ratified it will be available for disclosure.

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The Information Governance Manager Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust Blackpool Victoria Hospital Whinney Heys Rd Blackpool

Chairman: Pearse Butler

Chief Executive: Kevin McGee (Interim)

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Yours Sincerely,

Stephen Connor Freedom of Information Manager