The Dudley Group NHS
NHS Foundation Trust

Trust Headquarters
Russells Hall Hospital
Dudley

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With reference to your FOI request that was received on 27/02/2014 in connection with 'Organisational structures and upcoming IT projects.' Please see response below.

Some attachments have not been added to the website for a copy of that information please e-mail FOI@dgh.nhs.uk quoting the FOI reference number and copies will be e-mailed to you

A granular organisational chart for the full management structure including names for;

The whole IT / ICT / IM&T Department (Including Information, Performance, Business Intelligence, Clinical Development, Clinical Systems, Software Development Team / Applications Team and Finance Department) within your organisation

Please find attached the current IT structures for the Trust:
Trust IT, Siemens IT and Dudley IT Services,

Please find the Finance and Information Directorate structure on the Trust website:
http://www.dgh.nhs.uk/assets/finance%20and%20information%20smg%20jan%2014.pdf

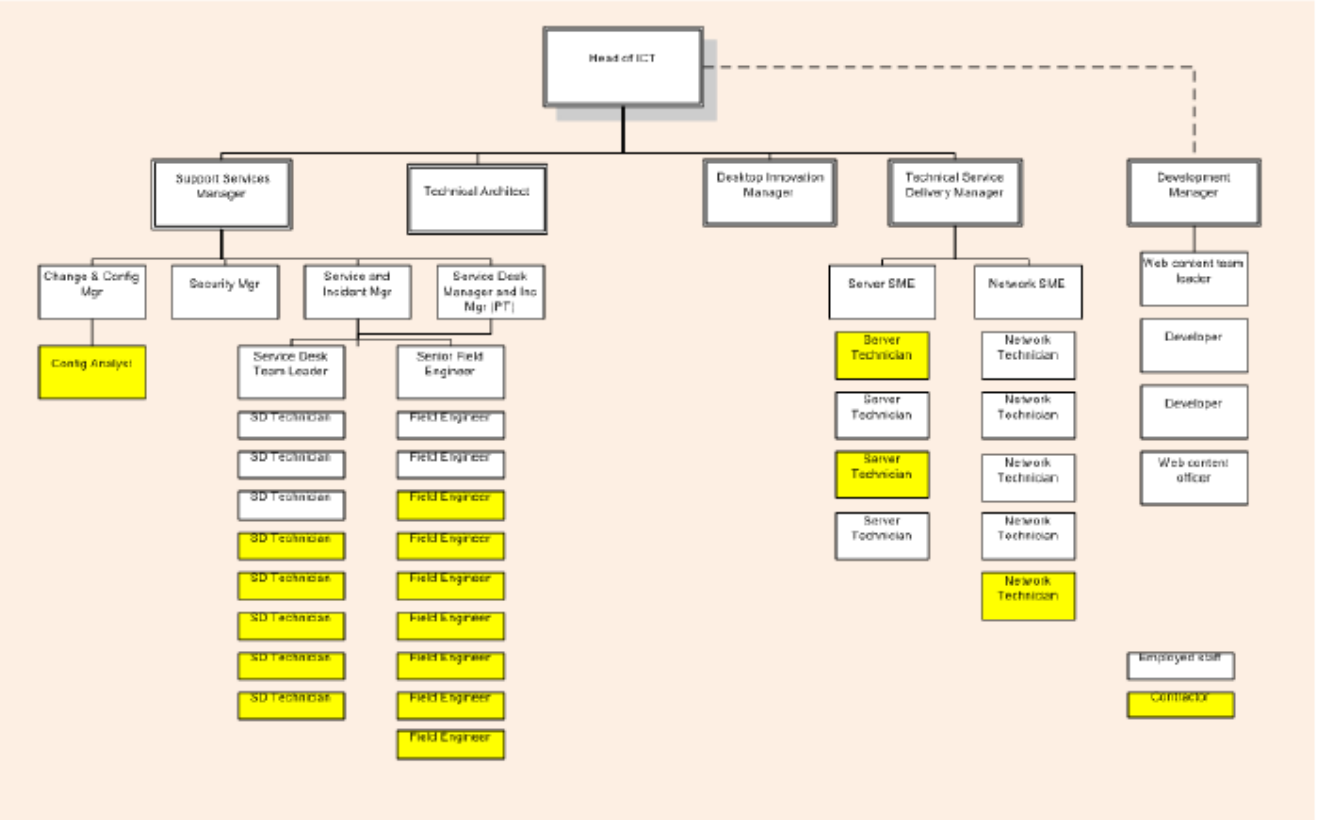
The names for the Heads of these services are:
Director of Finance and Information – Paul Assinder
Associate Director of IT – Charles Lilley

A list of the Software and clinical systems used within the Trust
Please find attached the list of IT systems as of May 2014

A list of upcoming IT / ICT / IM&T projects
The Trust is committed to providing clinical staff with state-of- the art technology, to enable us to do our jobs effectively and offer patients the best possible care.

The first step was to take local control of technology development by removing it from the PFI contract. As a consequence, The Trust has taken over the IT contract.

The Board has approved significant IT investment, including using money previously paid to our PFI providers, to improve the ability of staff to do their jobs effectively. Examples include being able to prescribe electronically, instead of manually, and the use of electronic alerts and monitoring systems at the touch of a button.

Improved technology will free up clinicians to spend more time with patients.

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