

Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Request Ref: NGFOI 19/20: 182

Thank you for your request for information received at Northampton General Hospital NHS Trust (NGH) on 02/07/2019.

I am pleased to be able to provide you with the following information:

1. *Please state the current fee for parking at the trust for one hour. (If there is no specific fee for one hour, please state the lowest possible time and cost)*

£3.20 (0-3 hours)

2. *Please state the fee for parking for one hour in 2018.*

£3.20 (0-3 hours)

3. *Please tell me whether the hospital provides free parking for any of the following groups a) cancer patients b) disabled patients c) other patients who are frequent visitors to the trust d) the relatives of patients who are frequent visitors*

Yes. Free parking for blue badge, cancer patients, renal patients (outpatient services).

4. *Please tell me if the hospital provides reduced parking for any of the following groups a) cancer patients b) disabled patients c) patients who are frequent visitors d) the relatives of patients who are frequent visitors*

Yes. There is a £10 weekly permit available for frequent visitors (relatives etc.).

5. *If yes to question 4, please provide details.*

Please see responses to questions 3 and 4.

6. *Please state how much the trust collected in parking charges and fines in a) 2018/19 and b) 2017/18*

The Trust does not collect any income from Parking fines.

Income Visitor and public parking for:

2017/18 £1,220,506

2018/19 £1,342,964

7. *Does the trust hire any private firms to issue parking fines or clamp vehicles?*

Yes through a third party contract. There is no clamping at NGH.

8. *If yes to question 7, please provide the names of these firms*

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