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**Re: Freedom of Information Request - Black Asian and Minority Ethnic (BAME) staff**

Thank you for your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which was received into this office on 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2020.

**You Asked for:**

I would appreciate a response as detailed as possible please.

"Simon Stevens and Amanda Pritchard wrote to all NHS trusts and Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCG) Chief Executives on the 29<sup>th</sup> of April to advise that employers, on a precautionary basis, should conduct risk assessments for staff at greater risk during the COVID-19 pandemic and to act accordingly.

1. Has your organisation completed risk assessments on all Black Asian and Minority Ethnic (BAME) staff?
2. What precautions, if any, have you put in place to protect BAME staff once they've been risk assessed?"

**Our Response:**

As a commissioning organisation, NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) staff are enabled to work remotely from home and hence there are deemed to be no additional risk mitigations or precautions required for any particular groups of staff during with their working time within the organisation.

We hope this information is useful, however if you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact a member of the Corporate Affairs Team (contact details at the top of this letter)

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