Ref. No: 0926 Date: 10/05/24

Subject: Transgender / Non-Binary Policies

## **REQUEST**

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## **RESPONSE**

St Helens and Knowsley Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust and Southport and Ormskirk Hospital NHS Trust became a single legal entity known as Mersey and West Lancashire Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust on 1<sup>st</sup> July 2023, as such parts of the response may be provided in two sections relating to the hospital sites of each of the legacy organisations.

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Please see attached