

Information Governance

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Dear

Request for Information: Freedom of Information Act

Thank you for your email of 7 August making a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act. You requested the following information and the Trust is able to provide the information below in response:

Request:

Across all grades what number of agency locum staff in psychiatry did the trust employ across the dates 31/03/2017 to 31/06/2017?

Across all grades what number of agency locum staff in psychology did the trust employ across the dates 31/03/2017 to 31/06/2017?

Across all bands what number of agency locum staff in allied health did the trust employ across the dates 31/03/2017 to 31/06/2017?

How much did the trust spend on agency locum staff over the 2016/2017? financial year?

How much did the trust spend on agency locum staff via off-framework medical recruitment agencies over the 2016/2017 financial year?

Please provide names and contact details for the following posts within the trust:

- Medical Director
- All Clinical Directors within Mental Health
- Head of HR
- Head of Medical Staffing
- Head of Procurement

Response:

The Trust is able to provide information in response to the following element of your request:

How much did the trust spend on agency locum staff over the 2016/2017? financial year?

£17,882,118

And in relation to Trust personnel the Trust publishes information about Board members, which can be located at the following URL:

https://www.oxfordhealth.nhs.uk/about-us/governance/board-of-directors/

Procurement:

https://www.oxfordhealth.nhs.uk/about-us/procurement/

and general contact information:

https://www.oxfordhealth.nhs.uk/contacts/

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you should write to me and I will ensure the decision is reviewed. The Trust will consider undertaking a review if requested to do so within 40 working days of the date the response is received by the applicant, and will apply discretion if a longer period of time has passed.

Should you wish to make a complaint as a result of the outcome of such a review, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) for a decision.

Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided by the Trust for Fol Act matters.

The ICO can be contacted at:

The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF

Please contact me if there are any further queries.

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Mark Underwood

Head of Information Governance