

Date: **8 May 2019**

Our reference: **FOIRQ5100**

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for your request for information processed under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Please see our response to your request below:

Your Request and Our Response (in bold)

These requests are for figures for your anaesthetic department. If you have multiple departments across different sites or areas within your Trust, please provide Trust wide figures. Please include figures for both locum and substantive consultants.

Where a consultant is appointed jointly with another department, for example Intensive Care, Pre-Hospital Emergency Medicine or an academic appointment, if part of their job falls under another cost centre, then include the consultant in the overall headcount include only the proportion of a single whole time equivalent that the department of anaesthetics is responsible for.

1. *What is your overall anaesthetic consultant headcount?* **46**
2. *What is your whole time equivalent anaesthetic consultant headcount?* **44.7**
3. *How many SPAs do you provide at appointment as the basic level to anaesthetic consultants? Please do not include any additional SPAs people may receive for additional responsibility.* **2 SPA per week**
4. *Do you require anaesthetic consultants to offer an additional PA if they wish to undertake private practice? GOSH job planning policy is that additional capacity should be offered to the NHS and discussed with the local department before any private work is undertaken*
5. *What was your total wage bill for additional work undertaken by consultants in the financial year 2017/18? This should also include any work where the consultant was 'acting down'.* **£65,271**
6. *Does the figure provided in (5) include employers NI or pension contributions? Is so, what is the total for employers NI and pension?*
No - The figure above is gross pay and does not include Employers Contributions

7. *Please can you provide a breakdown of all the rates of pay you offer consultants for any additional work they undertake outside of their job plan, for example, additional lists, or covering additional on-call duties?*

Additional Lists - Weekday £500
Additional Lists - Weekend £675
Bank Shifts - £63.73 Per Hour

Please note:

The information provided under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 is the information held on the date the request was received by the Trust.

I trust the information provided is sufficient and helps to answer any concerns, questions or issues you may have.

If you should have any further queries related to this request, please do not hesitate to contact the FOI Team. Please ensure that the above reference number is quoted on any correspondence.

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Yours sincerely

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