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I am responding to your request for information received on 15th January 2020. This has been treated as a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I am now enclosing a response which is attached to the end of this letter. Please do not hesitate to contact me on the contact details above if you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely,

Keshia Harvey Information Governance Manager

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Chair: Marie Gabriel Chief Executive: Dr Navina Evans

Request:

Question 1. Does your Trust have an electronic job planning system? Yes No At your Trust:

Answer: East London NHS Foundation Trust started using the SARD job

planning tool from 1st January 2019

Question 2. How many permanent consultant staff (please provide both head count and WTE) were employed in:

a. November 2017b. November 2018c. November 2019

Answer: a. November 2017 = HC = 181, FTE = 168.10

b. November 2018 = HC = 177, FTE = 161.80
 c. November 2019 = HC = 177, FTE = 156.73

Question 3. How many consultant PAs were fully funded at your Trust (I.e. formally incorporated into job plans as standard PAs or additional PAs) in:

a. November 2017 b. November 2018 c. November 2019

Answer: The Trust does not hold the information for 2017 or 2018 as the Trust

started using an electronic job planning system from January 2019.

In November 2019, 152 consultants planned 1378.878 PAs

Question 4. How many consultant PAs were delivered at your Trust by permanent consultant staff (l.e. total number of PAs including additional waiting list activity and additional sessions outside the job plan) in:

a. November 2017b. November 2018c. November 2019

Answer: The Trust does not hold the information for 2017 or 2018 as the Trust

started using an electronic job planning system from January 2019.

In November 2019 = 142 permanent consultants planned 1308.128 PAs

Question 5. How many Direct Clinical Care PAs (job planned DCC activity)

were delivered by permanent consultant staff in:

a. November 2017b. November 2018c. November 2019

Answer: The Trust does not hold the information for 2017 or 2018 as the Trust

started using an electronic job planning system from January 2019.

c. November 2019 = 142 permanent consultants planned 867.988

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Question 6. How many additional extra contractual activity PAs (e.g. Waiting List Initiative PAs and extra clinics) were delivered by permanent

consultant staff in: a. November 2017 b. November 2018

c. November 2019

Answer: The Trust does not hold the information for 2017 or 2018 as the Trust

started using an electronic job planning system from January 2019.

c. November 2019 = 0

Question 7. In 2019, how many permanent staff consultants at your Trust

have applied to reduce the number of PAs they do per week?

Answer: Six

Question 8. At your Trust, how many of the following have been cancelled or

not scheduled due to consultant staff unavailability since the

start of 2019?

a. Waiting List Initiative PAs

b. Emergency List PAs

Answer: a. Waiting List Initiative PAs = 0

b. Emergency List Pas = 0

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