

Information Governance

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I am responding to your request for information received 2 June 2021. I am sorry for the delay in responding to your request. 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

If you are dissatisfied with the Trust's response to your FOIA request then you should contact us and we will arrange for an internal review of this decision.

If you remain dissatisfied with the decision following our response to your complaint, you may write to the Information Commissioner for a decision under Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

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

Tel: 0303 123 1113
Web: www.ico.org.uk

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Request:

Dear FOI Team,

I am writing to make a request for all the information to which I am entitled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Please send me:

Question 1. International recruitment budget (If not an allocated budget, under which cost centre would the budget sit?)

Answer: The Trust has reviewed your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000.

Section 1(1) of the FOI Act states:

Any person making a request for information to a public authority is entitled—

*(a) to be informed in writing by the public authority whether it holds information of the description specified in the request, and
(b) if that is the case, to have that information communicated to him.*

East London NHS Foundation Trust does not have an international recruitment strategy and therefore does not hold the information requested.

Question 2. Current vacancies across: Doctors, Nursing & Midwifery and AHP (Allied Health Professionals, e.g. Radiographers) & HSS (Health Science Services, e.g. Biomedical scientists) categories (Numbers only). See List of AHP/HSS Disciplines at the end of this email.

Answer: Please see table below:

Main Category	Sub Category	Total
AHP	Chiropodist	13.44
	Occupational Therapist	33.88
	Physiotherapist	5.08
	Speech & Lang Therapists	5.46
Doctors	Doctors	85.96
HSS	Clinical Science	7.65
Nurses	Nurses	278.09

Question 3. Current supplier(s) for international recruitment projects/general permanent recruitment (Broken down into staff categories ie Doctors, Nurses, AHP/HSS)

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Question 4. Any exclusive agreements or managed services used (Please include start and end dates of contracts)

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Question 5. Frameworks currently called off for International placements/general permanent recruitment (e.g. London Procurement Partnership, CCS RM6162)

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Question 6. The average fee for a Doctor, nurse, AHS/HSS that is placed with respective rebate periods. (Please provide break down for separate charges such as relocation and other elements)

I would like the above information to be provided to me in a spreadsheet format.

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