

FOI025 Response

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 provide the following:

- 1. Whether or not the Trust has been providing SELR (Structured English Language Reference) to Doctors with job offers for the Doctors to obtain GMC registration so that they can work in the Trust.*
- 2. If Yes to Question 1, please provide a breakdown by the number of Doctors per month given a SELR by the Trust for the past 36 months across every grade (Consultant, Middle Grade, and Junior) and specialty (eg Emergency Medicine, Paediatrics, Radiology, etc.).*
- 3. Whether or not the Trust has been employing Doctors via MTI (Medical Training Initiative).*
- 4. If Yes to Question 3, please provide a breakdown by the number of Doctors per month employed on MTI for the past 10 years across every grade (Consultant, Middle Grade, and Junior) and specialty (eg Emergency Medicine, Paediatrics, Radiology, etc.).*

Please provide the results in excel spreadsheet format or an alternative format.

If this request is too wide or unclear, I would be grateful if you could contact me as I understand that under the Act, you are required to advise and assist requesters. If any of this information is already in the public domain, please can you direct me to it, with page references and URLs if necessary?

If the release of any of this information is prohibited on the grounds of breach of confidence, I ask that you supply me with copies of the confidentiality agreement and remind you that information should not be treated as confidential if such an agreement has not been signed.

I understand that you are required to respond to my request within the 20 working days after you receive this letter. I would be grateful if you could confirm in writing that you have received this request.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Response

- 1. Whether or not the Trust has been providing SELR (Structured English Language Reference) to Doctors with job offers for the Doctors to obtain GMC registration so that they can work in the Trust.**

The Trust has not been providing SELR as we have not received any SELR applications.

- 2. If Yes to Question 1, please provide a breakdown by the number of Doctors per month given a SELR by the Trust for the past 36 months across every grade (Consultant, Middle Grade, and Junior) and specialty (eg Emergency Medicine, Paediatrics, Radiology, etc.).**

Not applicable please see above.

- 3. Whether or not the Trust has been employing Doctors via MTI (Medical Training Initiative).**

The Trust has employed Doctors via MTI (Medical Training Initiative).

- 4. If Yes to Question 3, please provide a breakdown by the number of Doctors per month employed on MTI for the past 10 years across every grade (Consultant, Middle Grade, and Junior) and specialty (eg Emergency Medicine, Paediatrics, Radiology, etc.).**

Year and month appointed	Number of doctors per month	Grade	speciality
August 18	1	Junior	General Adult
October 18	1	Junior	Forensic
August 2019	1	junior	General Adult
August 2019	1	junior	Forensic