

Freedom of Information Request**Ref: UHB 18-030**

Date 22 February 2018

By Email

Dear Sir,

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Trusts response is as follows:

- 1. How many overseas visitor managers / assistants the Trust employed in the financial year? I appreciate the number may have fluctuated throughout the year. If so, please state the number employed at one point in each financial year, preferably (for consistency) in the January. Please provide the figures in Work Time Equivalentents (WTE) if possible.**

Please see table below. Please note the figures listed in the first column were taken as at 31st December for each year. Please also note the figures represent the WTE of staff with responsibilities covering both overseas and private patients, not just overseas patients alone.

- 2. In relation to charges made in accordance with the Immigration Act 2014, and / or the NHS (Charges to Overseas Visitors) Regulations 2015 http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukxi/2015/238/pdfs/ukxi_20150238_en.pdf, please state the total number of overseas patients invoiced in the financial year:**

Please see table below.

- 3. In relation to charges made in accordance with the Immigration Act 2014 / NHS (Charges to Overseas Visitors) Regulations 2015, please state the total amount invoiced in the financial year.**

Please see table below.

- 4. And please state the total payments that were recovered from overseas patients in each of these financial years:**

Please see table below.

	Question 1	Question 2	Question 3	Question 4
	No. overseas visitor managers/ assistants	No. overseas patients invoiced	Total charges invoiced	Total payments recovered
2013/14	2.5 WTE	218	£ 134,702	£ 65,412
2014/15	2.4 WTE	230	£ 261,625	£ 124,578
2015/16	3.0 WTE	320	£ 411,793	£ 175,489
2016/17	3.55 WTE	389	£ 743,400	£ 218,614
2017/18 YTD	4.5 WTE	403	£ 726,994	£ 140,298

This concludes our response. We trust that you find this helpful, but please do not hesitate to contact us directly if we can be of any further assistance.

If, after that, you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to:

Trust Secretary
University Hospitals Bristol NHS Foundation Trust
Trust Headquarters
Marlborough Street
Bristol
BS1 3NU

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF

To view the Freedom of Information Act in full please click [here](#).

Yours sincerely,

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