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## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST 013395 - podiatry

Under the Freedom of Information Act, I am requesting the following information:

1. The services of how many podiatrists across all podiatry services were engaged by your trust in each of the following fiscal years 1) 2013-14; 2) 2014-15; 3) 2015-16; 4) Budgeted for 2016-17; all in (i) Working Time Equivalent and (ii) Headcount format

podiatry staff by year		
	whole time	headcount
1314	401.72	519
1415	390.75	501
1516	358.80	472
1617	312.26	444

Please note that the 1617 figures are not budgeted as in the original question, but actual.

2. How many referrals were made from NHS services at your trust to private podiatric services in each of the following fiscal years 1) 2013-14; 2) 2014-15; 3) 2015-16; 4) Budgeted for 2016-17, and how much did these referrals cost the trust in each such year?

None – the Trust does not use private podiatry services.