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**Address / Email:**

**Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

Thank you for requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, please see response below.

Please provide information for the following for the year 2024 (January-December).

1. How many doctors, physician associates and nurses do you employ in your Accident and Emergency department?

	Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24	Apr-24	May-24	Jun-24	Jul-24	Aug-24	Sep-24	Oct-24	Nov-24	Dec-24
Doctors	54	52	53	51	51	51	51	55	56	56	56	56
Nurses	109	109	107	106	109	108	106	106	108	107	110	110
Physician Associates	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3

The departments that have been included in the figures above are :

Emergency Dept Nursing Service  
 Emergency Dept Paediatric Nursing  
 Emergency Minor Injuries Area  
 Medical Staff (Emergency Med)

2. Please state the colour of the scrubs each of these roles is required to wear in your Accident and Emergency department:

- Doctors and Consultants Black, other grades no particular colour
- Physician Associates – no set colour
- Nurses – Sky Blue/Royal Blue/Navy Blue depending on banding/role

3. Are there any visual indicators a doctor, a physician associate or a nurse might display to illustrate their role in your Accident and Emergency department? If none please state.

- All staff wear name badges which include job roles

If you are dissatisfied with our response, you have the right to appeal in line with guidance from the Information Commissioner. In the first instance you may contact the Information Governance Manager of the Trust.

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If you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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