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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST FOI/015670 - Gender Recognition Certificate

I have the following information request –

Could you please confirm the following:

- a. How many members of your medical staff have a GRC (Gender Recognition Certificate)?
- b. How many members of your medical staff identify as transgender who do not hold a GRC?

**Questions a and b** - Information not collected

c. Does your trust restrict doctors or nurses with a GRC who are legally recognised as female to conduct intimate exams on females (eg. smear tests, pelvic exams, breast exams)?

d. Do your trust restrict any of the duties of nurses and doctors who identify as transgender who do not hold a GRC in relation to their work with male or female patients?

**Questions c and d** - No restrictions in place but staff should have a chaperone when carrying out intimate examinations regardless of the patient's gender