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**Date:** 09.01.2026

**Address / Email:**

Dear

**Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

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

Under the Freedom of Information Act (2000), I would like to request the following information held by your trust:

- How many doctors are on a SAS contract, broken down by medical specialty?
- How many are doctors are on specialist doctor contracts, broken down by medical specialty?
- How many doctors are on specialty doctor contracts, broken down by medical specialty?
- How many doctors are on associate specialists, broken down by medical specialty?
- How many doctors are on a staff grade contract, broken down by medical specialty?

Directorate	Associate Specialist	Clinical Assistant	Specialist	Specialty Doctor	Staff Grade	Grand Total
253 Ambulatory Dir - Rheumatology, Neurology, GUM, Dermatology, Medical Day Case	1		1	2		4
253 CORRE Dir - Cardiology, Outliers and GIM, Renal, Respiratory and Endocrine				1	1	2
253 GEMS Dir - Geriatric Medicine and Stroke				3		3
253 G-HOPE Dir - Gastroenterology, Haematology, Oncology, Palliative Care, Endoscopy				3		3
253 Imaging Dir			1			1
253 Midlands Orthopaedic Centre Dir - Trauma & Orthopaedics, Plastics	4		2	3		9
253 Pathology Dir				1		1
253 Specialist Surgery Dir - Ophthalmology, ENT, Oral & Maxillofacial			2	10		12
253 Theatres Anaes & Crit Care Dir - Anaesthetics, Cricritical Care Pain Management			3	2		5

<b>253 Urgent &amp; Acute Care Dir - Acute Medicine, Emergency Medicine</b>	<b>2</b>			<b>12</b>		<b>14</b>
<b>253 Women and Children Dir - Obstetrics &amp; Gynaecology, Paediatrics</b>				<b>8</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>63</b>

How many doctors are employed in the Trust that are not in a formal training programme or on a SAS or consultant contract, broken down by medical specialty?

<b>Direcorates</b>	<b>Total</b>
253 Ambulatory Dir	2
253 CORRE Dir	9
253 GEMS Dir	17
253 G-HOPE Dir	1
253 Medical Director Dir	9
253 Midlands Orthopaedic Centre Dir	8
253 Pathology Dir	1
253 Specialist Surgery Dir	5
253 Surgery Urology & Vascular Dir	14
253 Theatres Anaes & Crit Care Dir	3
253 Urgent & Acute Care Dir	87
253 Women and Children Dir	11
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>167</b>

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.

Information Governance Manager  
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Should you disagree with the contents of our response to your appeal, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioners Office at.

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Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
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SK9 5AF  
Tel: 0303 123 1113  
[www.ico.org.uk](http://www.ico.org.uk)

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

Yours sincerely

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