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Dear

INFORMATION REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

You asked:

I am writing to find out under FOI request, about some detail about some of the content of MMed Radiology Training in Radiology.

You have trainees coming from India as their first job in radiology and first job in the UK.

Please explain:

1) When are the MMed radiology program trainees expected to start to do on call? Is it in the first or second year of the program?

They go on call from the start of the programme

2) At what UK equivalent level are they expected to achieve at the end of the MMed program? ST3 or ST4 equivalent?

The MMed programme is a stand-alone academic, research and clinical programme. It cannot be directly compared with the FRCR/ UK radiology specialty training programme.

3) Can I ask what are expected duties and hours the MMed radiology trainees would be doing on call? Also can you provide a frequency of on call any given MMed radiology trainee would be expected to do?

The trainees will be in full time employment and will fully participate in the on call rota.

I trust that this information is helpful to you, however if you are not entirely satisfied with this response please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department on 01257 488271. If we do not hear from you within 28 days we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Andrew Foster', written in a cursive style.

Andrew Foster
Chief Executive

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