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Dear

**INFORMATION REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000**

We are now pleased to respond to your request for information under the FOI Act.

You asked:

*Under the Freedom of Information Act can I ask for the following information:*

1. *How many non-UK EU nationals currently work at your organisation? Please could I have this information broken down by nationality and position?*

<b>Staff Group</b>	<b>Total</b>
Add Prof Scientific and Technic	2
Additional Clinical Services	10
Administrative and Clerical	7
Allied Health Professionals	5
Estates and Ancillary	4
Healthcare Scientists	1
Medical and Dental	26
Nursing and Midwifery Registered	38
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>93</b>

2. *How many non-UK EU nationals have left the organisation in the last twelve months, and how many have left in each of the previous three years? (2016, 2017 and 2018 thus far). Can I have that broken down by year?*

Last 12 months (Sep 17 - Aug 18)	29
Jan 16 - Dec 16	31
Jan 17 - Dec 17	36
Jan 18 - Aug 18	16

**Notes: Could ask for number of EU nationals by year to see if there has been a decrease**

Date	Headcount
As at 31 Dec 15	116
As at 31 Dec 16	121
As at 31 Dec 17	98
As at 31 Aug 18	93

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,



Andrew Foster  
Chief Executive

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