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Our Ref: FOI 2643

Thank you for your request concerning the number of private contractors employed by the Trust.

Your request has been considered and processed in accordance with the requirements of the Freedom of Information (FOI) Act 2000.

1. I request, the number of private contractors that make up the staff in your Foundation Trust; this year and every year since 2012.

The information you require is already in the public domain¹, please use this [link](#) to access our annual reports for years 2014/2015 2015/2016 2016/2017 and see attached reports for 2012/2013 and 2013/2014, you will find the required information in the staffing report and the financial statement.

2. The percentage of private contractors making up the staff in your foundation trust, this year and every year since 2012.

Please see response to question 1.

3. I would also like to be informed of the company that the private contractors work for.

This information will be available via the Trust [Website](#) under FOI request 2681² by 30th September

Should you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Please find enclosed an information sheet regarding copyright protection and the Trust's complaints procedure in the event that you are not satisfied with the response.

Yours sincerely

Sharon Farrell

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Information Rights Officer

Enc: Copyright Protection and Complaints Procedure Information Leaflet.

If you would like to complete a short survey in relation to your Freedom of Information request please scan the QR code below or click [here](#).



¹ Section 21 – Information available by other means

² Section 22 - information intended for future publication