

Freedom of Information Request

Ref: 23-369

14th June 2023

By Email

Dear Sir/Madam

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Trust's response is as follows:

• We can confirm that we hold some of the information you are requesting

1. Are Junior Doctors being paid for days they've been on strike/will be on strike? By "junior doctors" we mean anyone with the title:

FY1/ FY2/ ST/ SpR/GPST or anyone else you include in that category No.

2. How much has been/will be paid in total to junior doctors for days on which they have been on strike? Costs can be grouped or split out into different types of "junior doctor".

Zero.

3. Please send any correspondence relating to any decisions on whether to pay junior doctors for days on which they are striking

We do not hold this information.

4. How many junior doctors do you have and what proportion are they of workforce? As at 30th May 2023 we have 1,117 junior doctors and dentists. These make up 52% of our total medical and dental workforce, and 8% of the total workforce for the Trust as a whole (excluding bank).

This concludes our response. We trust that you find this helpful, but please do not hesitate to contact us directly if we can be of any further assistance.

If, after that, you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to:

Data Protection Officer

University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust

Trust Headquarters Marlborough Street Bristol BS1 3NU

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF

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Yours sincerely

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