

Freedom of Information Request

Ref: 23-650

30 August 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 do hold the information you are requesting

Please can you tell me, for each of the following time periods:

- 7am March 13 to 7am March 16
- 7am April 11 to 7am April 15
- 7am June 14 to 7am June 17
- 7am July 13 to 7am July 18
- 7am August 11 to 7am August 15

What was the highest amount paid to an agency or individual to cover a shift during junior doctor strike action?

In each case, please indicate:

- * Was the payment made directly to an individual or via an agency?
- * Does the worker covering the shift have a substantive role at the trust?
- * What department was the shift in?
- * How long was the shift?

We do hold the requested information; however, under Section 22 of the Freedom of Information Act the Trust is exempt from disclosing the information as it is intended for future publication on the Trust's website in September 2023 on the following link (request reference 23-553):

<https://www.uhbw.nhs.uk/p/how-we-use-your-data/freedom-of-information-foi-requests#FOI-disclosure-log>

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

Publication

Please note that this letter and the information included/attached will be published on our website as part of the Trust's Freedom of Information Publication Log. This is because information disclosed in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act is disclosed to the public, not just to the individual making the request. We will remove any personal information (such as your name, email and so on) from any information we make public to protect your personal information.

To view the Freedom of Information Act in full please click [here](#).

Yours sincerely

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