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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000 - Request for Information Reference: Doctor
Statistics and complaints 2021 - 2024

I am writing in response to your request for information under the FOI 2000.

I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that we do hold the information you have requested. A response to each part of your request is provided below. Please accept our apologies for the delay.

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FOI Request / Question	Question Response	Is there an exemption?	Exemption	Exemption Details
1. How many doctors work for your trust? By the term doctor, I mean those who treat patients, not those with a PhD, and/or who are not clinicians. Please Break these into their ethnic groups and their corresponding grades e.g., white, black, Asian or whichever way you ethnically monitor your staff. If, for example, positions have fewer than five doctors in their grade and ethnicity, please use an asterisk and explain there are fewer than five.	771 Total Doctors. Where there is an Asterix the number is below 5 employees. Details relating to these grades is available online at https://www.nhsemployers.org/system/files/2025-06/Pay-and-Conditions-Circular-MD-2-2025_0.pdf			
	Ethnic Origin	Pay Scale	Heads	
	A White - British	MC46	*	
		MC51	10	
		MC52	*	
		MC53	6	
		MC70	5	
		MC75	5	
		MF01	23	
		MF02	16	
		MN37	5	
		MQ55	*	
		MS01	*	
		MS02	*	
		MS03	*	
MS04		6		

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		MS05	6			
		MS06	7			
		MS07	*			
		MS08	*			
		MT03	*			
		MT04	*			
		MT59	*			
		YC55	*			
		YC72	58			
		YC73	*			
		YM55	*			
		YM72	5			
	B White - Irish	MC75	*			
		MF01	*			
		YM72	*			
	C White - Any other White background	MC46	*			
		MC51	*			
		MC53	*			
		MC70	*			
		MC75	*			
		MF01	*			

		MF02	5			
		MS03	*			
		MS04	*			
		MS08	*			
		MT03	*			
		YC72	11			
		YC73	*			
		YM72	*			
		YM73	*			
	CY White Other European	MC70	*			
		MS05	*			
	D Mixed - White & Black Caribbean	MF02	*			
		MS05	*			
		MS07	*			
	E Mixed - White & Black African	MC46	*			
		MC70	*			
		MC75	*			
		MS05	*			
		MT03	*			
		YC72	*			
		YC73	*			

		YM73	*			
	F Mixed - White & Asian	MC51	*			
		MC53	*			
		MC75	*			
		MF01	*			
		MF02	*			
		MN37	*			
		MS04	*			
		MS05	*			
		MT03	*			
		YC51	*			
		YC72	*			
		YM72	*			
		YM73	*			
	G Mixed - Any other mixed background	MC46	*			
		MF02	*			
		MT03	*			
		YC72	*			
	GB Mixed - Black & Chinese	YC73	*			
		MS05	*			

	GB Mixed - Black & Chinese Total		*			
	GD Mixed - Chinese & White	YM72	*			
	GE Mixed - Asian & Chinese	MC70	*			
	GF Mixed - Other/Unspecified	YC73	*			
	H Asian or Asian British - Indian	MC02	*			
		MC41	*			
		MC46	8			
		MC51	*			
		MC52	*			
		MC53	*			
		MC70	*			
		MC75	14			
		MF01	7			
		MF02	9			
		MN37	*			
		MS01	*			
		MS04	*			
		MS06	*			
		MS07	*			
		MT03	*			

		MT04	*			
		MT05	*			
		MT59	*			
		YC53	*			
		YC55	*			
		YC56	*			
		YC72	51			
		YC73	15			
		YM54	*			
		YM72	*			
	J Asian or Asian British - Pakistani	MC46	*			
		MC51	*			
		MC53	*			
		MC70	*			
		MC75	6			
		MF01	5			
		MF02	5			
		MN37	*			
		MS03	*			
		MS04	*			
		MS05	*			

		MS07	*			
		MT03	35			
		MT04	*			
		YC69	*			
		YC72	15			
		YC73	7			
		YM72	*			
		YM73	*			
	K Asian or Asian British - Bangladeshi	MC41	*			
		MC46	*			
		MC51	*			
		MF02	*			
		MS07	*			
		MT03	*			
		MT04	*			
		YC72	*			
	L Asian or Asian British - Any other Asian background	MC46	*			
		MC53	*			
		MC75	*			
		MF01	5			
		MF02	7			

		MS03	*			
		MT03	*			
		MT04	*			
		YC61	*			
		YC72	8			
		YC73	6			
		YM73	*			
	LE Asian Sri Lankan	MC75	*			
		MT03	*			
		YC72	*			
		YC73	*			
	LF Asian Tamil	MC75	*			
	LG Asian Sinhalese	MC75	*			
	LH Asian British	YC72	*			
	LJ Asian Caribbean	YC72	*			
	LK Asian Unspecified	MC75	*			
		MT03	*			
	M Black or Black British - Caribbean	MC75	*			
		MF01	*			
		YC72	*			
		MC46	5			

	N Black or Black British - African	MC51	*			
		MC52	*			
		MC75	11			
		MF01	*			
		MF02	*			
		MN37	*			
		MS01	*			
		MS04	*			
		MS07	*			
		MT03	7			
		MT04	*			
		YC51	*			
		YC56	*			
		YC72	6			
		YC73	*			
		YM72	*			
		YM73	*			
	P Black or Black British - Any other Black background	MC75	*			
	PB Black Mixed	MC75	*			
	PC Black Nigerian	MC75	*			

		MT03	*			
		MT04	*			
	R Chinese	MC46	*			
		MC51	*			
		MF01	*			
		MF02	*			
		MS04	*			
		MS06	*			
		MS07	*			
		MT03	*			
		YC72	*			
	S Any Other Ethnic Group	MC52	*			
		MC53	*			
		MC75	10			
		MF01	*			
		MN37	*			
		MS04	*			
		MS05	*			
		MS07	*			
		MT03	*			
		MT04	*			

		YC72	5				
		YC73	6				
		YM72	*				
		YM73	*				
	SE Other Specified	MC75	*				
		MT03	*				
		YC73	*				
	Z Not Stated	MC70	*				
		MC75	11				
		MF01	*				
		MF02	*				
		MN37	*				
		MS05	*				
		MT01	*				
		MT03	30				
		MT04	8				
YC72		6					
YC73		*					
2. In the following years, how many complaints did you receive about doctors under MHPS during the following years?		We had 0 MHPS cases during this time.					

Please break these down into ethnic groups e.g., white, black, Asian or whichever way you record your data for the corresponding years. If your numbers are fewer than five, then use an asterisk. 2021, 2022, 2023 & 2024.				
3. In each year 2021, 2022, 2023 & 2024 of those complaints in Q2 - how many resulted in your investigating them, - how many resulted in a sanction, adverse judgement or other disciplinary action? Please be clear about what the sanction was, - how many resulted in a doctor being suspended during the inquiry - how many did you refer the doctor to the GMC? - Please break these into ethnic groups e.g., white, black, Asian or whichever way you record your data for the corresponding years. If your numbers are fewer than five, then use an asterisk.	We had 0 MHPS cases during this timeframe.			

4. During your considering complaints, what is the average length of your investigations?	We had 0 MHPS complaints during this period of time, so this cannot be completed.			
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I trust this information answers your request. Should you have any further enquiries or queries about this response please do not hesitate to contact me. However, if you are unhappy with the way in which your request has been handled, 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: Sally Brook Shanahan, Director of Corporate Affairs, King's Mill Hospital, Mansfield Road, Sutton in Ashfield, Nottinghamshire, NG17 4JL or email sally.brookshanahan@nhs.net.

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of the internal review, you can apply to the Information Commissioner's Office, who will consider whether we have complied with our obligations under the Act and can require us to remedy any problems. Generally, the Information Commissioner's Office cannot decide unless you have exhausted the internal review procedure. You can find out more about how to do this, and about the Act in general, on the Information Commissioner's Office website at: <https://ico.org.uk/your-data-matters/official-information/>.

Complaints to the Information Commissioner's Office should be sent to FOI/EIR Complaints Resolution, Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. Telephone 0303 1231113, email casework@ico.org.uk.

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Yours faithfully

Information Governance Team

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