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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000 - Request for Information Reference:
consultants and waiting list initiative payments

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.

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FOI Request / Question	Question Response								
1. a) The total amount paid in waiting list initiative payments (and other higher rate additional payments for weekend and evening work) to consultants for the following financial years 2021/22 2022/23 2023/24?	21/22		£1,816,777.60						
	22/23		£1,856,362.19						
	23/24		£2,162,561.23						
1b) The five highest totals of such payments paid to individual consultants, stating the department of each consultant, and how many sessions and hours they worked, for the 2023-24 financial year.?	i)	£88,800	Ophthalmology	592 Hrs	148 Sessions	£150/Hr			
	ii)	£70,800	Ophthalmology	472 Hrs	118 Sessions	£150/Hr			
	iii)	£69,750	Gastroenterology	465 Hrs	116 Sessions	£150/Hr			
	iv)	£64,200	Cardiology	428 Hrs	107 Sessions	£150/Hr			
	v)	£55,800	Urology	372 Hrs	93 Sessions	£150/Hr			
1c) The maximum hourly rate or session rate for such payments for the 2023-24 financial year (if providing by session please state length of session (in hours)).	i)		£150/Hr		£600/Session		4 Hr Session		
2. During junior doctor strike days since March 2023 and up to and including the one in late June / early July 2024 please provide the five highest hourly rates paid to consultants to provide cover?	Grade	Shift Date	Paid Date	Normal Area	Area Covered	Pay Rate	Hours Worked	Shift Cost	
	Consultant	05/01/24	12/01/24	Obs & Gynae	Obs & Gynae	£269.00	13	£3,497.00	
	Consultant	11/08/23	01/09/23	Paediatrics	Paediatrics	£269.00	12.5	£3,362.50	
	Consultant	11/08/23	27/10/23	Paediatrics	Paediatrics	£269.00	12.5	£3,362.50	
	Consultant	03/01/24	15/03/24	Cardiology	Cardiology	£269.00	11	£2,959.00	
	Consultant	14/06/23	14/07/23	Gastro	Gastro	£269.00	10	£2,690.00	

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.

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Yours faithfully

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