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Dear

**FOI-0124-701**

**Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000**

Thank you for your request for information received on the 24<sup>th</sup> January 2024. We can confirm that the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Integrated Care Board can provide the following information.

An anonymised copy of this response will be made publicly available on the ICB website.

Please see our responses in blue below:

**1. How much did your Trust spend in total on education and training in the following financial years?**

**April to March 2021-2022 (overall spend)**

£716,351.60

**April to March 2022- 2023 (overall spend)**

£636,926.79

**2. Please advise how much of this total spend was with external providers?**

**April to March 2021-2022 (overall spend)**

£714,846.15

**April to March 2022- 2023 (overall spend)**

£634,896.03

**3. Please can you break down the overall spend into the following categories?**

**a) Apprenticeship training**

**April to March 2021-2022 (overall spend)**

£886.67

**April to March 2022- 2023 (overall spend)**

£4,973.33

**b) Mandatory, statutory and compliance training**

**April to March 2021-2022 (overall spend)**

£662,253.48

**April to March 2022- 2023 (overall spend)**

£587,481.24

**c) Management and Leadership training**

**April to March 2021-2022 (overall spend)**

£0.00

**April to March 2022- 2023 (overall spend)**

£23,289.00

**d) Healthcare support worker training**

**April to March 2021-2022 (overall spend)**

£11,815.00

**April to March 2022- 2023 (overall spend)**

£0.00

**e) Nursing**

**April to March 2021-2022 (overall spend)**

£31,581.00

**April to March 2022- 2023 (overall spend)**

£0.00

**f) Allied Healthcare Professionals**

**April to March 2021-2022 (overall spend)**

£10,702.12

**April to March 2022- 2023 (overall spend)**

£26,156.55

**4. What are the top five categories that you procure externally?**

2021-2022

- Mandatory, Statutory and Compliance Training
- Nursing
- Healthcare Support Worker Training
- Allied Healthcare Professionals

2022-2023

- Mandatory, Statutory and Compliance Training
- Allied Healthcare Professionals
- Management and Leadership Training

Should you require any further information or clarification regarding this response please do not hesitate to contact us. If you are dissatisfied with the response, you are entitled to request an internal review which should be formally requested in writing and must be within two calendar months from the date this response was issued.

**To request an internal review**

You can request an internal review by contacting the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Integrated Care Board FOI team by emailing the team at [StaffsStokeFOI@staffsstoke.icb.nhs.uk](mailto:StaffsStokeFOI@staffsstoke.icb.nhs.uk) or by post to the address at the top of this letter.

If you are not content with the outcome of your internal review, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Integrated Care Board's FOI complaints procedure.

The ICO can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
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Yours sincerely

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