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Sent by email

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Dear

FOI-0225/1185

Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information received on Friday 11th February 2025. 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. Procurement Officer Contact Details

Could you please provide the contact details (name, email, and telephone number) for the procurement officer responsible for international recruitment within your trust for Doctors, Nurses, AHPs, and Social Workers?

2. Senior Officer Responsible for International Recruitment Outside of Procurement, who is the Senior Officer responsible for international recruitment for Nurses, Doctors, AHPs, and Social Workers?

Please provide their contact details (name, email, and telephone number).

3. Budget Allocation for International Recruitment (FY 2025/26) What is the allocated budget for international recruitment for Nurses, Doctors, AHPs, and Social Workers for the financial year 2025/26?

Who is the responsible officer for allocating this budget? Please provide their contact details.

4. Current Vacancies per Specialty

Could you please provide a breakdown of current vacancies within the trust for the following roles:

General Nurses

Mental Health Nurses

Allied Health Professionals (AHPs) (please specify disciplines) Doctors (please specify specialties)

Social Workers

5. International Recruitment Partners

During the financial year 2023/24, which international recruitment partners did the trust work with, if any?

Who does the trust plan to work with for the financial year 2025/26?

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Who is the responsible officer for selecting international recruitment partners? Please provide their contact details.

6. International Hires (FY 2023/24)

How many internationally recruited Doctors, Nurses, AHPs, and Social Workers joined the trust in the financial year 2023/24?

7. International Recruitment Spend (FY 2023/24) What was the total expenditure on international recruitment in financial year 2023/24, broken down by:

Doctors

Nurses

AHPs

Social Workers

The ICB does not hold this information, please redirect your enquiry to the Local Authorities and Provider Trusts listed below:

Staffordshire County Council; accessinformation@staffordshire.gov.uk

Stoke-on-Trent City Council; foi@stoke.gov.uk

University Hospital North Midlands:

foi@uhn.nhs.uk

Midlands Partnership University NHS Foundation Trust:

foi@mpft.nhs.uk

North Staffordshire Combined Healthcare NHS Trust:

FOIRequests@combined.nhs.uk

To request an internal review

You can request an internal review by contacting the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent ICB FOI team by emailing; staffsstokeFOI@staffsstoke.icb.nhs.uk or by post to the address at the top of this letter within 40 working days of the initial response.

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
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

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www.ico.gov.uk

Yours sincerely

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