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Freedom of Information Act 2000

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to Conferences or workshops funded in 2015-2016.

- 1 *How much was spent on external conferences/workshops for all your NHS staff? (Total figure)*
- 2 *Name of conference/workshop provider*
- 3 *Job title of staff attending (Dr, Nurse, and Manager etc.)*

Please note I do not require cost for training courses, MBA, Masters, specialised clinical training.

Please note for this particular query many staff, particularly in Allied Health Professions and Scientists are required to maintain their CPD for practice and Conferences play a part in this.

In relation to Doctors in the Trust the response is as follows:

1. All Consultant, Trust Doctor and Foundation, Core and Higher Specialty Trainees' study leave is related to Continued Professional Development and training requirements. The combined expenditure for 2015/16 was £253,335
2. The workshop provider data is not recorded as approval is sought and given on the basis of the requirement
3. Staff attending - Consultants, Trust Doctors, Foundation, Core and Higher Specialty Trainees

Please see the following spreadsheets for remaining staff.

**CONFERENCES & WORKSHOPS FUNDED IN
2015/2016**

Job Title	Learning Programme	Learning Programme Title	Learning Programme Provider	Paid
Clinical	Conference	Evidence into Practice International Neurophysiotherapy Conference	Association of Chartered Physiotherapists Interested in Neurology (ACPIN)	200.00
Nursing	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	125.00
Non-Clinical	Conference	College of Health Care Chaplains Annual Conference	College of Health Care Chaplains	275.00
Nursing	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	105.00
Nursing	Conference	East Kent Hospitals Ophthalmology Nursing Forum	East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	35.00
Nursing	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	105.00
Nursing	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	105.00
Nursing	Conference	Developing Leadingedge Ophthalmic Practice	M&K Update	232.50
Nursing	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	105.00
Nursing	Conference	East Kent Hospitals Ophthalmology Nursing Forum	East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	35.00
Nursing	Conference	UK Stroke Forum Conference	The Stroke Association	255.00
Nursing	Conference	Eliminating Avoidable Pressure Ulcers	Healthcare Conferences UK	365.00
Clinical	Conference	BIOS Scientific Conference	British & Irish Orthoptic Society	235.00
Nursing	Conference	Infection Prevention Society London Branches Joint Conference	Infection Prevention Society	40.00
Nursing	Conference	OH Legal and Professional Update	The At Work Partnership	299.00
Nursing	Conference	Nursing Appraisal and Revalidation	Healthcare Conferences UK	365.00
Nursing	Conference	Increasing and Improving Workplace Wellbeing and Health	Inside Government	346.50
Nursing	Conference	Reducing Sickness Absence: Improving Health & Productivity in the Workplace	Inside Government	355.00
Nursing	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	125.00

Nursing	Conference	East Kent Hospitals Ophthalmology Nursing Forum	East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	35.00
Nursing	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	125.00
Nursing	Conference	East Kent Hospitals Ophthalmology Nursing Forum	East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	35.00
Nursing	Conference	Younger People Living with Dementia	Hawker Publications	130.00
Nursing	Conference	Dementia 2020	Govconnect	295.00
Nursing	Conference	Screening Expectations	ARC - Antenatal Results and Choices	85.00
Nursing	Conference	Solutions to Streamline your Endoscopy Service	SBK Healthcare	384.00
Clinical	Conference	The Future of Patient Safety Conference	University of Salford	200.00
Clinical	Conference	UK Radiation Oncology Conference	UKRO	320.00
Clinical	Conference	Solutions to Streamline your Endoscopy Service	SBK Healthcare	214.00
Nursing	Conference	Dementia 2020	Govconnect	295.00
Non-Clinical	Conference	HAZMAT 2016	Ricardo Energy and Environment	650.00
Nursing	Conference	Sepsis Improving Recognition and Management Conference	MA Healthcare Ltd.	210.00
Nursing	Conference	Patient Safety Congress	EMAP	447.20
Nursing	Conference	RCN International Centenary Conference	Royal Collge of Nurses	270.00
Nursing	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	105.00
Nursing	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	105.00
Nursing	Conference	East Kent Hospitals Ophthalmology Nursing Forum	East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	35.00
Clinical	Conference	Stereotactic Ablative Radiotherapy	British Institute of Radiology	300.00
Clinical	Conference	Caring for the Patient with Dementia in Imaging and Radiotherapy	College of Radiographers	155.00
Nursing	Conference	East Kent Hospitals Ophthalmology Nursing Forum	East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	35.00
Nursing	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	125.00
Nursing	Conference	National HIV Nurses Association Conference	Mediscript Ltd.	230.00
Nursing	Conference	9th Annual Meeting of BIPOSA	British Isles Paediatric, Ophthalmology & Stabismus Assoc.	240.00
Clinical	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	125.00

Clinical	Conference	Evidence into Practice International Neurophysiotherapy Conference	Association of Chartered Physiotherapists Interested in Neurology (ACPIN)	200.00
Nursing	Conference	Nursing Appraisal and Revalidation	Healthcare Conferences UK	310.25
Nursing	Conference	Orthopaedic and Trauma Nursing International Conference	Royal College of Nursing	440.00
Nursing	Conference	Quality Improvement for Surgical Teams (QIST) Conference	Northumbria Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust	80.00
Nursing	Conference	Squint Forum	Royal Society of Medicine	105.00
Nursing	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	125.00
Nursing	Conference	East Kent Hospitals Ophthalmology Nursing Forum	East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	35.00
Nursing	Conference	RCN International Centenary Conference	Royal College of Nursing	200.00
Clinical	Conference	Annual Autumn Conference - Oncology and Palliative Care in Older Age	Assoc. of Chartered Physiotherapists in Oncology and Palliative Care	175.00
Nursing	Conference	British Endocrine Society 2015 Conference	Society for Endocrinology	195.00
Nursing	Conference	Orthopaedic and Trauma Nursing International Conference	Royal College of Nursing	300.00
Nursing	Conference	Quality Improvement for Surgical Teams (QIST) Conference	Northumbria Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust	80.00
Nursing	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	125.00
Nursing	Conference	East Kent Hospitals Ophthalmology Nursing Forum	East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	35.00
Nursing	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	105.00
Nursing	Conference	East Kent Hospitals Ophthalmology Nursing Forum	East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	35.00
Nursing	Conference	Managing Disability at Work	The At Work Partnership	369.00
Clinical	Conference	Reducing Sickness Absence: Improving Health & Productivity in the Workplace	Inside Government	385.00
Nursing	Conference	East Kent Hospitals Ophthalmology Nursing Forum	East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	35.00
Clinical	Conference	Quality Improvement for Surgical Teams (QIST) Conference	Northumbria Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust	80.00
Clinical	Conference	Resuscitation 2015 - The Guidelines Congress	European Resuscitation Council	254.97

Nursing	Conference	HAZMAT 2016	Ricardo Energy and Environment	650.00
Nursing	Conference	5th International BACCN Conference	British Association of Critical Care Nurses	298.33
Nursing	Conference	Improving the Quality of Perinatal Mental Health Services	Healthcare Conferences UK	250.00
Nursing	Conference	Update for Named and Designated Professionals - Safeguarding Children	Health Safeguarding	198.38
Nursing	Conference	Celebrating Continuity Rhetoric into Reality, Policy into Practice	Royal College of Midwives	66.00
Nursing	Conference	UK Stroke Forum Conference	The Stroke Association	255.00
Non-Clinical	Conference	CHCC Annual Study Conference 2015	College of Health Care Chaplains	275.00
Nursing	Conference	UK Stroke Forum Conference	The Stroke Association	255.00
Nursing	Conference	Association of Respiratory Nurse Specialists Conference	Association of Respiratory Nurse Specialists	390.00
Nursing	Conference	Squint Forum	Royal Society of Medicine	105.00
Nursing	Conference	East Kent Hospitals Ophthalmology Nursing Forum	East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	35.00
Nursing	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	105.00
Nursing	Conference	East Kent Hospitals Ophthalmology Nursing Forum	East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	35.00
Nursing	Conference	British Endocrine Society 2015 Conference	Society for Endocrinology	195.00
Nursing	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	125.00
Nursing	Conference	East Kent Hospitals Ophthalmology Nursing Forum	East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	35.00
Nursing	Conference	Developing Leadingedge Ophthalmic Practice	M&K Update	232.50
Nursing	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	125.00
Nursing	Conference	East Kent Hospitals Ophthalmology Nursing Forum	East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	35.00
Clinical	Conference	SELKaM Annual Conference	South East London, Kent and Medway Trauma Network	25.00
Clinical	Conference	NHS Five Year Plan: Responding to the Prevention Challenge	Open Forum Events Ltd.	230.00
Clinical	Conference	Falls Prevention and Management in Older People	Healthcare Conferences UK	365.00
Clinical	Conference	16th International Falls and Postural Stability Conference	British Geriatrics Society	150.00

Clinical	Conference	Functional Imaging in Radiotherapy	British Institute of Radiology	250.00
Clinical	Conference	Advanced Practices in Radiotherapy Conference VIII	Oncology Imaging Systems	100.00
Clinical	Conference	9th Annual Meeting of BIPOSA	British Isles Paediatric, Ophthalmology & Stabismus Assoc.	240.00
Clinical	Conference	BDA Live 2016	British Dietetic Association	80.00
Clinical	Conference	UK Stroke Forum Conference	The Stroke Association	255.00
Clinical	Conference	Setting Up and Running Virtual Clinics	Health Care Conferences	365.00
Clinical	Conference	5th International BACCN Conference	British Association of Critical Care Nurses	298.33
Clinical	Conference	Preoperative Association Conference	The Preoperative Association	200.00
Non-Clinical	Conference	How to Manage your Overseas Visitors	SBK Healthcare	288.00
Clinical	Conference	Preoperative Association Conference	The Preoperative Association	200.00
Clinical	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	125.00
Nursing	Conference	Association of Respiratory Nurse Specialists Conference	Association of Respiratory Nurse Specialists	320.00
Clinical	Conference	Resuscitation 2015 - The Guidelines Congress	European Resuscitation Council	254.97
Clinical	Conference	The IBMS Quality Conference	The Institute of Biomedical Science	154.17
Clinical	Conference	Annual Autumn Conference - Oncology and Palliative Care in Older Age	Assoc. of Chartered Physiotherapists in Oncology and Palliative Care	145.00
Nursing	Conference	Sepsis Improving Recognition and Management Conference	MA Healthcare Ltd.	210.00
Clinical	Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	125.00
Clinical	Conference	East Kent Hospitals Ophthalmology Nursing Forum	East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	35.00
Nursing	Workshop	Slit Lamp Workshop	Moorfields Eye Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	75.00
Nursing	Workshop	Preoperative Assessment Clinical Workshops	Knowledge 4 Nurses	209.00
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Clinical	Workshop	Leadership Workshop - Learning Lessons from Kirkup	Royal College of Midwives	60.00
Nursing	Workshop	Erectile Dysfunction Workshop	British Association of Urological Nurses	100.00
Non-Clinical	Workshop	AutoCAD Training Workshop	Exitech Limited	277.50

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Clinical	Workshop	6th Critical Care London Meeting/Mechanical Ventilation Workshop	Hartley Taylor Ltd.	50.00
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Nursing	Workshop	Preoperative Assessment Clinical Workshop	Knowledge 4 Nurses	209.00
Nursing	Workshop	East Kent Hospitals Ophthalmology Nursing Forum	East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust	35.00
Nursing	Workshop	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association Conference	International Ophthalmic Nurses Association	125.00
Nursing	Workshop	Open Audit Workshop Maternity	Unicef Baby Friendly	250.00
Nursing	Workshop	Paediatric Catheterization Workshop	London South Bank University	140.00
Nursing	Workshop	Paediatric Catheterization Workshop	London South Bank University	140.00
Nursing	Workshop	Slit Lamp Workshop	Moorfields Eye Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	75.00
Nursing	Workshop	Pre-Operative Assessment Clinical Workshops	Knowledge 4 Nurses	209.00
Nursing	Workshop	Paediatric Catheterization Workshop	London South Bank University	140.00
Nursing	Workshop	Slit Lamp Workshop	Moorfields Eye Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	75.00
Nursing	Workshop	Preoperative Assessment Clinical Workshop	Knowledge 4 Nurses	209.00
Nursing	Workshop	Pre-Operative Assessment Clinical Workshops	Knowledge 4 Nurses	209.00
Clinical	Workshop	RPA and RWA Update Meetings	Institute of Physics and Engineering in Medicine	270.00
Nursing	Workshop	Verification of Death Workshop	Hospice in the Weald	25.00
Nursing	Workshop	Paediatric Catheterization Workshop	London South Bank University	140.00
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Non-Clinical	Workshop	AutoCAD Training Workshop	Exitech Limited	277.50
Nursing	Workshop	Slit Lamp Workshop	Moorfields Eye Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	75.00
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TOTAL £25,697.10