Maidstone and **MHS** Tunbridge Wells

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NHS Trust

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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 Safe Staffing.

The laid out questions are structured as follows:

- 1. How many of the on call/shift rotors were fully staffed and not fully staffed
- 2. Total number of shifts staffed by a locum in the trust
- 3. Total number of hours worked by locums within the trust
- 4. Total expenditure on staff within the following employee groups by the Trust
- 5. Total expenditure on staff within the following locum groups by the Trust

6. Do you measure compliance with NICE guidance on safe staffing for

nurses, and if so how many breaches of the guidance have occurred in FY16?

1. Please see below Medical Staning's respor						
Department	Consultant FY11- FY16	Junior Drs FY11- FY16				
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Microbiology	Fully staffed	Fully staffed				
Radiology	Fully staffed	Fully staffed				
	Data not	Data not				
ENT	available	available				
	Data not	Data not				
Medicine	available	available				
		Data not				
Paeds	Fully staffed	available				
		31 oncalls				
		uncovered out				
		of 2394 from				
		Dec 2016-				
A&E	Fully staffed	present				
		Data not				
Anaes	Fully staffed	available				
		Data not				
O&G	Fully staffed	available				

1. Please see below Medical Staffing's response.

Surgery		FY16	FY15	FY14	FY13	FY12	FY11
	Fully staffed	520	520	520	520	720	No Data
Consultants	Not fully staffed	0	0	0	0	0	No Data
	Fully staffed	9.469	9.417	9502	No consolidated data available	No consolidated data available	No Data
Junior doctors	Not fully staffed	47	99	14 Note : for the first 4 months of year there are no consolidated data available	No consolidated data available	No consolidated data available	No Data

Details of the Trust's nursing staffing levels can be found in the Board papers on our website <u>www.mtw.nhs.uk</u>

2. Data for previous years is not available.										
(2) Total number of shifts staffed by a locum in the Trust										
FY16 FY15 FY14 FY13 FY12 FY11										
	Internal Staff Bank	666								
Consultants	NHS Professionals									
	External Agencies	4176								
	Internal Staff Bank	2305								
Junior Doctors	NHS Professionals									
	External Agencies	13348								
	Internal Staff Bank	20028								
Nurses	NHS Professionals									
	External Agencies	19430								

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(3) Total number of hours worked by locums within the Trust								
FY16 FY15 FY14 FY13 FY12								
	Internal Staff Bank	6651.52						
Consultants	NHS Professionals							
	External Agencies	34196.45						
	Internal Staff Bank	21088.43						
Junior Doctors	NHS Professionals							
	External Agencies	109629.12						
Nurses	Internal Staff Bank	187969.88						
	NHS Professionals							

External Agencies	207197.94
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	(4) Total ex	penditure on staff	within the followi	ing employee grou	ups by the Trust	
	FY16	FY15	FY14	FY13	FY12	FY11
Consultants	31,482,149	30,608,633	30,514,741	29,030,998	28,105,876	27,170,845
Junior						
Doctors	26,374,058	26,602,383	25,700,776	25,038,629	24,931,482	23,257,132
Nurse	70,825,842	68,657,959	67,617,426	64,917,240	62,634,935	59,215,882

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(5) Total expenditure on locums from within the following groups by the Trust							
		FY16	FY15	FY14	FY13	FY12	FY11
	Internal Staff Bank NHS	2,724,840	2,497,965	1,991,962	1,965,809	797,738	896,196
Consultants	Professionals External						
	Agencies	2,404,037	1,405,501	375,288	175,642	865,635	761,678
	Internal Staff Bank	5,811,812	4,743,538	4,496,589	4,619,645	1,775,913	1,725,267
Junior Doctors	NHS Professionals						
	External Agencies	1,420,851	1,564,731	976,114	885,286	3,408,207	5,316,193
Nurses	Internal Staff Bank	8,576,199	8,755,281	8,010,199	7,823,101	6,608,220	6,374,357
	NHS Professionals						
	External Agencies	10,408,696	5,852,718	4,029,613	4,386,783	1,506,623	3,479,272

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