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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 Agency price caps.

You asked:

1. *Can you provide the total number of times you have exceeded the agency price cap limits for each year from 2016 -2020 broken down by each quarter right up to the most recent available data?*
2. *Can you provide the maximum amount paid on a per hour basis for an agency shift for each year from 2016 -2020 broken down by each quarter right up to the most recent available data?*
3. *I am aware that there are country wide NHSI caps but for some areas (such as medical), there are agreed Pan London ceiling rates which are higher than the NHSI caps. Could another column in the data be provided to show when those London caps are exceeded?*

Trust response:

1. Breaches	2017			2018			
	Qtr2	Qtr3	Qtr4	Qtr1	Qtr2	Qtr3	Qtr4
Administration & Estates	19	40			123	15	38
Healthcare Science			11			14	5
Medical & Dental	3595	3319	2904	4405	3912	2619	793
Nursing, Midwifery & Health Visiting	130	599	1950	3195	2692	3430	945
Scientific, Therapeutic & Technical (AHPs)	528	263	371	304	577	454	114
Grand Total	4272	4221	5236	7904	7304	6532	1895

Breaches	2019				2020			
	Qtr1	Qtr2	Qtr3	Qtr4	Qtr1	Qtr2	Qtr3	Qtr4
Administration & Estates	13	17	82			26		
Healthcare Science		5	8	3	1			1
Medical & Dental	1056	2842	3212	1505	1805	2144	2099	2329
Nursing, Midwifery & Health Visiting	143	1	366	376	399	325	335	529
Scientific, Therapeutic & Technical (AHPs)	101	225	780	722	253	582	687	347
Grand Total	1313	3090	4448	2606	2458	3077	3121	3206

Breaches	2021	
	Qtr1	Qtr2
Administration & Estates	10	
Healthcare Science	6	23
Medical & Dental	1919	2908
Nursing, Midwifery & Health Visiting	1049	546
Scientific, Therapeutic & Technical (AHPs)	368	332
Grand Total	3352	3809

2. Highest Hourly Rate Paid	2017			2018			
	Qtr2	Qtr3	Qtr4	Qtr1	Qtr2	Qtr3	Qtr4
Administration & Estates	£29.16	£29.16			£29.16	£58.34	£62.23
Healthcare Science			£28.96			£59.26	£27.07
Medical & Dental	£130.00	£130.00	£123.35	£120.00	£131.00	£121.11	£121.11
Nursing, Midwifery & Health Visiting	£84.74	£98.01	£84.09	£84.45	£84.45	£91.40	£90.56
Scientific, Therapeutic & Technical (AHPs)	£82.86	£61.29	£54.22	£48.89	£80.00	£75.00	£74.04

Highest Hourly Rate Paid	2019				2020			
	Qtr1	Qtr2	Qtr3	Qtr4	Qtr1	Qtr2	Qtr3	Qtr4
Administration & Estates	£36.72	£51.85	£76.67			£37.33		
Healthcare Science		£29.31	£29.31	£29.31	£29.31			29.31
Medical & Dental	£139.64	£139.64	£139.28	£139.28	£139.28	139.28	139.28	139.28
Nursing, Midwifery & Health Visiting	£84.45	£84.45	£84.45	£84.45	£90.45	78.3	84.45	90.45
Scientific, Therapeutic & Technical (AHPs)	£58.99	£74.04	£74.04	£69.59	£63.58	74.04	58.99	60.16

Highest Hourly Rate Paid	2021	
	Qtr1	Qtr2
Administration & Estates	27.41	
Healthcare Science	29.78	29.78
Medical & Dental	139.28	136.45
Nursing, Midwifery & Health Visiting	69.33	90.45
Scientific, Therapeutic & Technical (AHPs)	74.04	74.04

3. Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust only work to NHSI capped rates.