



Redditch and Bromsgrove Clinical Commissioning Group

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Dear

Re: Request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000
Ref no: CAS-04348-L0B0V0-RB

Thank you for your correspondence dated 1 May 2019 making a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 for access to information which may be held by NHS Redditch and Bromsgrove Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG).

You requested the following information and our response is detailed below:

How many of each of the following staff types are currently working for the organisation on a temporary (agency) basis:

- CHC Assessors
- Mental Health Practitioners
- Qualified Social Workers
- Best Interests Assessors
- Approved Mental Health Practitioners

NHS Redditch and Bromsgrove CCG do not have any temporary or agency staff working in the CCG currently

How much did your organisation spend on temporary (agency) workers in each of the following categories in the calendar year 2018:

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- Mental Health Practitioners
- Qualified Social Workers
- Best Interests Assessors
- Approved Mental Health Practitioners

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wish to request a review of our decision, this can be formally requested in writing and must be within a reasonable period of time (two calendar months) from the date this response was issued

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PR26 6TR, specifying why you feel you have been wrongly denied access to the information requested. The freedom of information team will make sure your request is investigated by an independent reviewer who was not involved in the original consideration of your request and a written response will be provided within 20 working days.

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 complaints procedure provided by NHS Redditch and Bromsgrove CCG. The ICO can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF
www.ico.gov.uk

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Yours faithfully

FOI Officer

On behalf of NHS Redditch and Bromsgrove CCG