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Re: Freedom of Information Request FOI 5065

We are writing in response to your request submitted under the Freedom of Information Act, received in this office on 21st February 2022.

Your request was as follows:

1. How much funding did the Trust receive in total for the education of undergraduate medical students in the most recent financial year?

Please specify how much of this funding was from the Higher Education England medical undergraduate tariff (previously known as the Service Increment for Teaching or SIFT), and how much was from any other sources, if applicable.

The Walton Centre NHS Foundation Trust (WCFT) received £648,456. 100% tariff funded; the WCFT does not charge any fees to University of Liverpool student electives

2. How many medical students were placed in the Trust during the most recent financial year?

Please specify how many student 'places' the Trust hosted at any one time in the most recent year, as well as how many students hosted over the year in total. (e.g. the Trust may host 10 students at a time for one placement rotation, and after 8 placement rotations has hosted a total of 80 students over the course of the year.)

Please specify which medical schools you hosted students from, and how many students from each medical school were hosted

2. 24 SAMP students 20/21; 184 4th year Medical Students 20/21; 6 Elective placements = 214 students

2a. The WCFT hosted an average of x23 4th year places over 8 rotations = 184 students. Additionally, the Trust hosted an average of x6 SAMP 5th year places over 4 rotations = 24 students.

2b. University of Liverpool.

3. How much of the funding your Trust receives for hosting undergraduate medical students was ringfenced to be spent specifically on the education of medical undergraduates in the most recent financial year?



£1,202,055 was ring-fenced to be spent specifically on the education of medical undergraduates.

4. How much money did the Trust spend on undergraduate medical education in the most recent financial year? Please include the following:

How much was spent on staff with a specific undergraduate teaching role, such as Clinical Teaching Fellows (CTFs)?

How many staff with a specific undergraduate teaching role (e.g. CTFs) were employed?

If there are CTFs employed by the Trust, how many hours of protected teaching time are they allocated per week as part of their role?

How much was spent on administrative staff employed specifically to support undergraduate teaching activities?

How many administrative staff were employed specifically to support undergraduate teaching activities?

4a. £83,160

4b. 1x Clinical Subdean; 1x Deputy Subdean; x4 additional consultants sit on the Undergraduate Working Group.

4c. None in 2020/21. These are WTE roles for 2021/22.

4d. £43,430.80

4e. 1

5. If the Trust has made notable expenditures on medical undergraduate education in the most recent financial year that have not been listed in response to question 4, please provide this information.

N/A

Please see our response above in [blue](#).

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Please  member to quote reference number, FOI 5065 in any future communications.



If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioners Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely

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