

Dear

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request concerning average staff total hours worked.

The Trust can provide the following information:

- 1) Average number of FTE staff for each of the years
- 2) Total number of hours worked for all staff (inclusive) for each year

It would be very difficult to provide a definitive figure on number of hours worked as there is no accurate way of pulling out all hours that were not worked e.g. annual leave, sick leave, maternity leave etc. as much of this is not recorded centrally.

We have been unable to extract "hours worked" in a meaningful way, but have provided our estimate instead

Year	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13
Total hours worked - estimate	3806079	4012761	4324338	5628144	5933061
Average wte	2264	2375	2573	3354	3536

If you have any queries about this response please contact the information governance manager at foi@homerton.nhs.uk, in the first instance. If, following that, you still have any concerns, you may contact the Information Commissioner either by letter, FOI/EIR Complaints resolution, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SM9 5AF, or by email www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk to take them further.

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Yours sincerely

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