

Wednesday 9 April 2025

Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on Thursday 3 April 2025. I am pleased to confirm the following.

1.How many consultant doctors do you appraise and revalidate?

221

2.How many non-consultant doctors do you appraise and revalidate?

208

3.How many trained appraisers do you have?

54

4.How many Programmed Activities are paid per appraiser for fulfilling this function (if any)?

0.25PA

5.How many appraisals per year are appraisers expected to complete?

Minimum of 6 appraisals – typically 8 – per year'

6.How many Programmed Activities are paid for an appraisal/revalidation lead role (if any)?

1PA (0.75PA + 0.25PA for appraiser role)

7.Which appraisal support software do you use (eg Allocate, Zircadian, L2P, Equiniti, Clarity, FourteenFish etc)?

Allocate

8.Which revalidation support software do you use, if different from the appraisal software?

Allocate

9. How many whole-time equivalent posts, and at what banding levels, do you employ in medical staffing/HR/other relevant departments to support the medical appraisal and revalidation processes in your Trust?

Band 6 1.53 wte and apprentice administrator 0.8wte

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If you need any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us at the address above.

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Team Lead
For and on behalf of Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

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