

Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 12 October 2018.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

What was the overall spend on agency interpreters at Milton Keynes University Hospital in 2016/2017.

The Trust does not employ agency interpreters; however the total spend on interpreting services in 2016/17 was £39.6k.

What is the budget per department spent on agency interpreters at Milton Keynes University Hospital last year.

The Trust does not budget for interpreter costs by department. However, the budget (held centrally) in 2017/18 was £100.6k.

How many agency and permanent interpreters are employed at Milton Keynes University Hospital.

The Trust does not employ any agency or permanent interpreters.

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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 Co-ordinator
For and on behalf of Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

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