

Freedom of Information Request

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Information Requested:

In December we received an FOI response from your Trust about the number of full-time District Nurses employed by the Trust in the following years 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018. The FOI response reference is EPUT.FOI.18.732.

However the figure we have received appears to be incorrect. So we just wanted to clarify with you whether the below figures count only those nurses employed by the trust who have the "district nurse specialist qualification".

If your figures include Community Nurses without the DNSPQ, please provide us with the correct figures counting only those with the specialist qualification.

Trust name	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Essex Partnership University NHS Foundation Trust	91	91	92	94	87

Response:

The Trust has amended the figures to include "only those nurses employed by the trust that have the "district nurse specialist qualification". Please see below.

- Do you employ district nurses?
Yes
- If yes, please could you send me the number of full time equivalent district nurses employed by your trust in each of the following years: 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018.

Year	Headcount	FTE
Mar-14	39	23.93
Mar-15	44	25.52
Mar-16	51	30.11
Mar-17	55	34.63
Mar-18	53	32.59

- Are you the main provider of adult community services in your area?
Yes