

Freedom of Information Request

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Information Requested:

How much money has been spent by the Trust employing hospital security staff with an SIA licence over the last five years?

Please break the costs down into a yearly budget. I am specifically asking for the amount spent on salaries for staff holding an SIA licence for the years below and the number of staff employed holding an SIA licence for each year.

2018
2019
2020
2021
2022 to date

Please include the number of staff employed currently by your Trust who hold the SIA licence.

I would also like to find out how many assaults took place on NHS staff for each of the years above.

| | Assault - Physical | Assault – Non Physical (Verbal) |
|--------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|
| 2018 | 1215 | 772 |
| 2019 | 1334 | 926 |
| 2020 | 1361 | 724 |
| 2021 | 1419 | 1072 |
| 2022 to date | 336 | 205 |

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