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Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Request for Information

Thank you for your request for information received on 11 January 2016 in relation to the County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust (Trust). We are dealing with your request under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

You requested information regarding the invoicing for overseas visitors care. Specifically you asked:

I would like to know about charges made in accordance with the Immigration Act 2014 within your Trust during the period from the 1st of January 2015 until the 1st of January 2016.

1. The amount invoiced for overseas visitors' care during that period. Of this, I would like to know, if possible, the amount invoiced to a UK address?

Answer: £123,999.67 was invoiced for the period 1 January 2015 to 31 December 2015 and all of that was to a UK address.

2. The amount of money that was recouped by the overseas visitor management team during the same period?

Answer: The amount paid re the invoices raised in question1 is £28,271.61.

In line with the Information Commissioner's directive on the disclosure of information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 your request will form part of our disclosure log. Therefore, a version of our response which will protect your anonymity will be posted on the County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust website.

If you have any queries or wish to discuss the information supplied, please do not hesitate to contact me on the above telephone number or at the above address.

If you are unhappy with the way your request for information has been handled, you can request a review by writing to:

The Chief Executive
County Durham & Darlington NHS Foundation Trust
Darlington Memorial Hospital
Hollyhurst Road
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If, you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request or complaint, you have a right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at:

The Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
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SK9 5AF

Telephone: 0303 123 1113
Website: www.ico.gov.uk.

There is no charge for making an appeal.

Yours sincerely

Joanna Tyrrell
Freedom of Information Officer