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Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Request for Information

Thank you for your request for information received on 20 November 2019 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 Data and Cyber security training. Specifically you requested information as follows:

1. The total amount spent by the Trust on data security and cyber security training in the 12 months to the 1st of November 2019; and the breakdown of these costs in terms of the training undertaken?

Answer: £0.

Please note that the Trust uses NHS resources and provides in-house training in data security, annually, to all staff, which includes training in cyber-security awareness. NHSD is NHS Digital i.e. all staff complete a centrally funded free NHS E-learning package.

2. The total amount spent by the Trust on private cyber security contractors and/or consultants/consultancies in the last 12 months?

Answer: £0.

3. The total number of qualified cyber security and data security professionals employed by the Trust?

Answer: 2 x Cyber Security 2 x Data security.



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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
Cheshire
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