

FOI 0122/2022 Response

I am writing to obtain information, under the Freedom of Information Act, about your Trust's funding of Complementary and Alternative Medicine (CAM) services they provided.

To outline my query as clearly as possible, I am requesting:

*** How much the Trust has spent on CAM services for the following financial years: 2019-20, 2020-21, 2021-22. This includes salaries for those employed to carry out these services, costs of medicine, equipment and any additional costs involved.**

Please see the table below and note the following:

- The Trust's Complementary /Alternative medicines services ran from 2016 -2022 (financial years) and following this service evaluation, has been stood down.
- The data provided below is a breakdown of total running costs for the service which includes staffing, management, oils, equipment, ITc equipment and administrative costs (paper, leaflet production, printing and travel costs).

Complementary Therapy	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022
Cost Incurred to Run Service	£109,426	£140,186	£121,513

*** A list of all services provided under CAM.**

- Aromatherapy
- Indian head massage
- Reflexology
- Massage
- Hand massage
- Auricular Acupuncture