

FOI 0198/2025 Response

Dear NHS Trust,

Request for Information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)

We are a law firm and act for Health Workers 4 Palestine (“HW4P”), a private company limited by guarantee (Company number: 15544250). HW4P advocates for the rights of Palestinian health workers, and its aims include ensuring that healthcare workers are protected and supported globally during humanitarian crises and armed conflict.

The purpose of this letter is to submit a FOIA request on HW4P’s behalf, expeditious compliance with which is necessary for its vital work. The request is set out at paragraphs 4-5 below.

As set out below, in line with ICO Guidance we ask for a prompt response to this request and note that in any case a response is required within 20 working days.

Request for Information

1. Please disclose any correspondence received by your organisation (including by your chief executive) in the last 6 months from NHSE regarding (i) uniform policy, (ii) use of political symbols by NHS staff.

We can confirm that the Trust (including the CEO) has not received any correspondence from NHSE in the last 6 months regarding uniform policy or the use of political symbols by NHS staff.

2. Please disclose any new uniform policy for your organisation from the last 6 months, including policies which are in draft and not yet published or implemented.

Please find our current Workwear Policy attached.