

FOI 0385_2025 Response

FOI Request – Undergraduate Psychiatry Training Funding

Under the Freedom of Information Act, please could you provide the following information regarding undergraduate medical psychiatry training funding at your Trust/Health Board:

1. Please state how many student ‘places’ the Trust/Health Board hosted over the last financial year (24-25).

Please state: **128**

- Please specify which medical schools you hosted students from and how many students from each medical school were hosted.

Medical school: Foundation HEFT	Number of students: 24
Medical school: Foundation QE/UHB	Number of students: 26
Medical school: Foundation Sandwell	Number of students: 38
Medical school: GPVTS St Helens & Mersey	Number of students: 50

2. Does your Trust/Health Board receive a specific allocation of funding for undergraduate medical psychiatry training?

- ☐ **Yes**
☐ No

If yes, please provide the amount received for the last financial year.

Please state: **£2,345,600**

- Please specify how much of this funding is from any of the following sources (this will depend on your location within the UK):

- ☐ **Medical Education Tariff**
☐ Additional Cost of Teaching (ACT)
☐ Healthcare Education and Training Tariff (HETT)
☐ Supplement for Undergraduate Medical and Dental Education (SUMDE)
☐ Other sources, please state:

3. Is the funding ring-fenced specifically for undergraduate medical psychiatry training?

- ☐ **Yes**
☐ No

If it is not ring-fenced, how is the use of funds monitored?

Please state:

4.Does the Trust/Health Board maintain specific accounts/records of how undergraduate psychiatry training funds are spent?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

a. Could you provide breakdown of expenditure categories?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

If yes, please select which categories:

- ☐ Teaching
☒ Staff time
☒ Educational facilities
☐ Placements
☒ Administrative Costs

b. Do you employ clinical teaching fellows/similar posts and administrative staff directly for undergraduate medical education, using the undergraduate funds?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

If the Trust/Health Board has made notable expenditures on medical undergraduate education in the most recent financial year that have not been listed in response to question 4, please provide this information:

N/A

5.Does the Trust/Health Board use a reporting tool to account for these funds?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

c. If not, how is this information reported or monitored?
d. Are these reports available for public viewing?

- ☐ Yes
☐ No

N/A