

| Freedom of Information Request | FOI 23-369 | 11 October 2023 |
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Your request

You requested the following:

For the following questions, please refer to the most recently recorded 12-month period where the term annual is used:

- 1. Please can you confirm the trust's annual spend on locums in the Dietician job family?
- 2. Please can you confirm the trust's annual spend on locums in the Podiatrist job family?
- 3. Please can you confirm the trust's annual spend on locums in the Audiologist job family?
- 4. Please can you confirm the trust's annual spend on locums in the Biomedical Sciences job family?
- 5. Please can you confirm the trust's annual spend on locums in the Clinical Sciences job family?
- 6. Please can you confirm the trust's annual spend on locums in the Optometry job family?
- 7. For the before 6 mentioned job families please advise of the contact details for the person/department responsible for managing these locums.

Our response

Our response for questions 1 to 7 for the financial year 2022-2023 is provided in the table below:

| Specialty Job Family | Annual Spend on Locums | Responsible Contact |
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| Dietician | £168,780.10 | Peter Carr, Executive Director of |
| | | Therapies & Health Science |
| | | peter.carr@wales.nhs.uk |
| Podiatrist | £255,472.78 | Peter Carr, Executive Director of |
| | | Therapies & Health Science |
| | | peter.carr@wales.nhs.uk |
| Audiologist £136 | £136,358.93 | Wendy Trump, Head of Service |
| | | wendy.trump@wales.nhs.uk |
| Biomedical Sciences | £617,110.50 | Simon Hoad, Pathology |
| | | Directorate Manager |
| | | simon.hoad@wales.nhs.uk |
| Clinical Sciences | £0 | Simon Hoad, Pathology |
| | | Directorate Manager |
| | | simon.hoad@wales.nhs.uk |
| Optometry | £0 | Carrie Hopkins, Directorate |
| | | Manager |
| | | carrie.hopkins2@wales.nhs.uk |

• The Biomedical Sciences costs include Healthcare Scientists & Biochemists.