

**Request for information under the Freedom of Information Act – 2020.381  
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Thank you for your email dated 9 January 2020, requesting information regarding consultant radiologists.

Please find detailed below a summary of your request, together with our response.

**Summary of your request:**

**1. Staffing organization:**

**a) Please quantify the number of vacancies of radiology consultants in the Trust over the last three years:**

- 2016/2017:
- 2017/2018:
- 2018/2019:

**2. Staff expenditure:**

**a) Can you please confirm whether the Trust uses an in-house staff bank or refers to agencies for recruiting consultant radiologists.**

**b) If the Trust has an in-house staff bank for consultant radiologists, could you please quantify the related expenditure, over the last three years?**

- 2016/2017:
- 2017/2018:
- 2018/2019:

**c) On the contrary, if the Trust refers to an external agency for consultant radiologists, could you please quantify the related expenditure, over the last three years?**

- 2016/2017:
- 2017/2018:
- 2018/2019:

**d) In case of positive answer to question c), could you please confirm the name of the outsourced staff bank service provider?**

The Kent Community Health NHS Foundation Trust does not employ any consultant radiologists; therefore we do not hold any information pertinent to your request.