

**Request for information under the Freedom of Information Act Reference 2022.191
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Thank you for your email received 7 October 2022 requesting information regarding healthcare workers on visas.

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

Summary of your original request:

- **How many of your doctors are currently on a visa?**

We currently have 11 doctors on a visa.

- **How many of your healthcare workers are currently in the process of applying for a first time visa to work in the UK?**

We do not hold information relating to whether someone is applying for a first-time visa to work in the UK.

We can however provide you with the number of healthcare workers who have provided “No visa/right to work - cannot undertake employment without sponsorship” as their immigration status, which is 53.

- **How many of your doctors are currently in the process of applying for a first time visa to work in the UK?**

We do not hold information relating to whether someone is applying for a first-time visa to work in the UK.

We can however provide you with the number of doctors who have provided “No visa/right to work - cannot undertake employment without sponsorship” as their immigration status, which is 3.

- **How many healthcare workers are currently in the process of applying to have their visa renewed?**

We currently have 5 healthcare workers applying to have their visa renewed.

- **How many doctors are currently in the process of applying to have their visa renewed?**

We currently have 2 doctors applying to have their visa renewed.

- **How many healthcare workers are currently in the process of applying for indefinite leave to remain?**

We currently have no healthcare workers applying for indefinite leave to remain.

- **How many doctors are currently in the process of applying for indefinite leave to remain?**

We currently have no doctors applying for indefinite leave to remain.

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