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Dear Requester,

**FOI 1305**

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request which was received within the Trust.  
Please note, this is a cross-site response for **Bedford site (in blue)** and **Luton site (in green)**.

You asked:

1. Over all how many Cancer trackers are employed by your Trust (WTE)?  
9WTE
2. Over all how many cancer MDT co-ordinators are employed by your Trust (WTE)?  
4WTE
3. Please provide the split of cancer tracker WTE by each tumour site of responsibility  
Lung 1.0  
Breast 1.0  
Head & Neck 1.0  
Lower GI 1.0  
Upper GI 1.0  
Gynaecological 1.0  
Acute leukaemia Not covered  
Haematological malignancies (excluding acute leukaemia) 1.0  
Testicular, Urological, Childrens - 1.0  
Skin 1.0
4. Please provide the split of cancer MDT co-ordinators WTE by each tumour site of responsibility  
Lung 0.5  
Breast 0.5  
Head & Neck 0.3  
Lower GI 0.5  
Upper GI 0.5  
Gynaecological 0.3  
Acute leukaemia Not covered  
Haematological malignancies (excluding acute leukaemia) 0.5  
Children, Testicular, Urological 0.5  
Skin 0.3

5. What cancer PAS system is used by your organisation? I.e. Somerset, Infoflex other. If other please specify.

Infoflex

### Bedford Site Response

We have combined Tracker and MDT co-ordinator roles

- Lung 0.4 WTE
- Breast 1.0 WTE
- Head & Neck 0.4 WTE
- Lower GI 1.0 WTE
- Upper GI 0.4 WTE
- Gynaecological 0.8 WTE
- Childrens N/A
- Acute leukaemia N/A
- Haematological malignancies (excluding acute leukaemia)- 0.4 WTE
- Testicular N/A
- Urological 1.0 WTE

In addition to this we also have:

1.0 WTE - MDT floater post- cover for AL

2.0 1.0 WTE - Skin MDT Co-ordinator & NSS Co-ordinator combined posts

3.0 WTE - MDT assistants for Urology, Colorectal, Upper GI, HEAD and neck and Lung - booking frst 2WW appts and assisting with tracking/ tertiary referrals

We use Somerset Cancer Register

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Yours sincerely,

*FOI Officer*

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