



FOI 3089

Date 20/06/2024

Dear Requester,

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request. Please note, this is a cross-site response for Bedford site and Luton site.

You asked:

Q1) Total number of registered AHP staff employed in NHS

Dietitians	Occupational Therapists	ODP's	Paramedics	Physiotherapists	Radiographer	Speech & Language Therapists
64	66	16	11	229	374	23

Q2) Total number, age, gender, ethnicity, disability status of AHP staff in each band

Age Band

Job Role	>=71 Years	21-25	26-30	31-35	36-40	41-45	46-50	51-55	56-60	61-65	66-70
Dietitian		3	8	10	13	5	8	9	4	3	1
Occupational Therapist		4	17	11	13	5	6	3	3	4	
ODP		6	1	4	1	2	1	1			
Paramedic		1	1	1	3		3		2		
Physio		31	42	47	34	27	19	9	12	6	2
Radiographer	6	43	67	48	48	40	36	32	24	15	15
Speech & Language		1	9	4	2	1	3		3		

Ethnicity

Job Role	Blank	BME	Not Stated	White
Dietitian	1	11	1	51
Occupational Therapist	3	21	2	40
ODP		8	1	7
Paramedic				11
Physio	4	55	6	164
Radiographer	11	201	3	159
Speech & Language	2	1		20



Disability

Job Role	No	Not Declared	Prefer Not To Answer	Unspecified	Yes
Dietitian	54	4		2	4
Occupational Therapist	57	7		1	1
ODP	13	1			2
Paramedic	11				
Physio	187	27	2		13
Radiographer	326	34	1	5	8
Speech & Language	16	6		1	

Gender

Job Role	Female	Male
Dietitian	54	10
Occupational Therapist	60	6
ODP	11	5
Paramedic	3	8
Physio	174	55
Radiographer	249	125
Speech & Language	22	1

Q4) Number of AHPs with position in trust board, their gender, age and ethnicity -
Supporting data not available (sample too small)

Q5) Number of AHPs involved in research activities, their gender, age and ethnicity. –
Supporting data not available

Q6) Profession of chief AHPs – Lead AHP is a Therapist and the responsible executive is the Chief Nurse

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Yours sincerely,

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