

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST
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16th August 2017

Dear Mx Michaels,

Thank you for your FOI request dated 17th July 2017 regarding staff counselling and occupational health at the University of Chichester.

Your request appears below. Our response is in an Excel Spreadsheet attached to this email.

1. The total number of staff that accessed University counselling and mental health services in the last eight academic years (please present in a table showing figures for each academic year and breakdown by category (e.g. anxiety, bereavement loss, work-related etc...))

- a) How many were academic staff?
- b) How many were professional services staff?
- c) How many were male?
- d) How many were female?

2. Where data are available in the last eight years, please detail what was the average wait time for a staff member applying to see a counsellor to seeing a counsellor?

3. During the last eight academic years how many staff members were referred to Occupational Health (please highlight whether these were self-referrals, management referrals, or referrals falling into different categories)?

- a) How many were academic staff?
- b) How many were professional services staff?
- c) How many were male?
- d) How many were female?

4. How many staff members are currently on the waiting list to see Occupational Health?

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to FOI@chi.ac.uk. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Peter Aldred', written in a cursive style.

Peter Aldred
University Solicitor