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Dear Mr Jaffray

Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Request for Information

Thank you for your request received by Yorkshire Ambulance Service NHS Trust (the Trust) on 18 December 2017. Please find our responses below.

Your request

1. *Can you confirm how many Paramedics have a Bank Contract with Yorkshire Ambulance Service.*
2. *Can you also this down to how many per a CBU.*
3. *Can you confirm how many Paramedics have resigned since 2012.*
4. *Can you break this down as to how many have resigned per a year and per a CBU.*
5. *How many Paramedics that resigned have been re-employed on a bank contract and compile this per CBU please.*

Trust response

We can confirm that the Trust holds the information requested.

Please note, the Trust does not have a centrally managed bank service, however, we do have staff on contracts undertaking ad-hoc shifts as and when required and these are managed locally by the Clinical Business Units (CBUs). Therefore, for the purpose of responding to this request we have answered using the number of staff or ex-staff who have arranged with a CBU to undertake ad-hoc shifts.

1. **Can you confirm how many Paramedics have a Bank Contract with Yorkshire Ambulance Service.**

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2. **Can you also break this down to how many per CBU**

Clinical Business Unit	Number:
A&E Airedale, Bradford & Leeds Division	55
A&E Calderdale, Kirklees & Wakefield Division	42
A&E EY & Hull Division	32
A&E North Yorkshire Division	43
A&E South Yorkshire Division	46

3. Can you confirm how many Paramedics have resigned since 2012.
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4. Can you break this down as to how many have resigned per a year and per a CBU.

Clinical Business Unit	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
A&E Airedale, Bradford & Leeds Division	6	10	18	22	26	21
A&E Calderdale, Kirklees & Wakefield Division	15	9	19	14	24	29
A&E EY & Hull Division	6	6	13	32	15	16
A&E North Yorkshire Division	9	17	18	23	44	23
A&E South Yorkshire Division	14	16	24	30	25	35

5. How many Paramedics that resigned have been re-employed on a bank contract and compile this per CBU please.

Clinical Business Unit	Number:
A&E Airedale, Bradford & Leeds Division	25
A&E Calderdale, Kirklees & Wakefield Division	22
A&E EY & Hull Division	24
A&E North Yorkshire Division	28
A&E South Yorkshire Division	30
Total:	129

If you have any queries about the information we have provided then please contact the FOI team via email: foi@yas.nhs.uk Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

We hope this response meets your requirements but if you are unhappy with the way your request for information has been handled. You can request an internal review by contacting the Yorkshire Ambulance Service FOI team: email: foi@yas.nhs.uk; postal address: Springhill 2, Brindley Way, Wakefield 41 Business Park, Wakefield, WF2 0XQ

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There is no charge for making an appeal.

Response issued by:

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