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Freedom of Information Act 2000

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to International Recruitment.

You asked: All questions are shown as received by the Trust.

- 1. The total number of staff recruited internationally during the 2023/2024 period.*
- 2. The name(s) of the international recruitment agency/agencies used for this purpose.*
- 3. The contact details (name, email, phone) of the lead or person responsible for international recruitment within your organisation.*
- 4. The anticipated international recruitment numbers for the next 12 months.*

Trust response:

1. 181
2. MSI – Charkos – Sanctuary – Resource Finder -
3. Maidstone & Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust receives a number of requests for details relating to the professional lives of our staff from private individuals and organisations, some of whom are involved in recruitment and marketing. On very rare occasions it might be considered in the public interest to disclose some information but in such cases the views of the individual staff concerned is always sought. Information relating to staff that is not currently publicly available on our website will not be released under Freedom of Information Act 2000 Section 40(2) (personal information) as it relates to the personal information of employees. The Trust follows guidance issued by the Information Commissioner's Office on the disclosure of personal data including direct contact details.

This role falls under the remit of the Chief People Officer. The Trust Executive structure chart is available on the Trust website www.mtw.nhs.uk

4. 40 nurses and other staffing groups are BAU.