

Freedom of Information request 208-18

Request

Please supply copies of documents relating to:

1. The AHP management review that NHS Borders is conducting – any documentation over the last 5 years.
2. Documents relating to the individual AHP professions and their management / leadership.

Response

Due to the large number of documents that fall within this request, and the time and work required to redact these documents before providing, this request would exceed the limit set in the Fees Regulations of the FOI(S)A 2002. Therefore under Section 12 Cost of Compliance we are not required to provide these documents.

Under Section 15 Duty to provide advice and assistance, if you could narrow down the scope of your request by identifying specific documents or by shortening the time period that you are seeking then we would be happy to provide this data, processed as a new FOI request, if it lies within the scope of the legislation.

If you are not satisfied with the way your request has been handled or the decision given, you may ask NHS Borders to review its actions and the decision. If you would like to request a review please apply in writing to, Freedom of Information Review, NHS Borders, Room 2EC3, Education Centre, Borders General Hospital, Melrose, TD6 9BS or foi.enquiries@borders.scot.nhs.uk.

The request for a review should include your name and address for correspondence, the request for information to which the request relates and the issue which you wish to be reviewed. Please state the reference number **208-18** on this request. Your request should be made within 40 working days from receipt of this letter.

If following this review, you remain dissatisfied with the outcome, you may appeal to the Scottish Information Commissioner and request an investigation of your complaint. Your request to the Scottish Information Commissioner should be in writing (or other permanent form), stating your name and an address for correspondence. You should provide the details of the request and your reasons for dissatisfaction with both the original response by NHS Borders and your reasons for dissatisfaction with the outcome of the internal review. Your application for an investigation by the Scottish Information Commissioner must be made within six months of your receipt of the response with which you are dissatisfied. The address for the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner is, Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner, Kinburn Castle, Doubledykes Road, St Andrews, Fife.