

Freedom of Information request 611-22

Request

Please provide the following information:

1. The number of hours of overtime that have been worked by nurses in the last five years financial years (2018/19, 2019/20, 2020/21, 2021/22 and 2022/23). Please include a breakdown of the total cost of spending on overtime hours per year.
2. The number of hours of overtime that have been worked by doctors in the last five years financial years, with a breakdown by foundation doctors, registrars and consultants. Please include a breakdown of the total cost of spending on overtime hours per year.

Response

Please find below data as per request:

Financial Year	Medical & Dental		Nursing & Midwifery	
	Sum of Total O/T Hours	Sum of Total O/T Paid £	Sum of Total O/T Hours	Sum of Total O/T Paid £
2018	3767	180763	12604	273208
2019	4968	249441	9436	221958
2020	3323	184389	18674	477628
2021	2917	162822	20264	529035
2022	3609	212992	12643	323270

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 **611-22** 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.

