

Freedom of Information Act 2000

The Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust Response to Information request

Date Request Received: 8th July 2025

FOI Ref No 29476

Requested Information:

1. For each of the following financial years (24/25, 23/24, 22/23, 21/22, 20/21):
 - a. The number of financial overpayments made to staff
 - b. number of financial underpayments made to staff.
 - c. The respectively amounts of overpayments in GDP
 - d. the respective amounts of underpayments in GDP
2. And then the number of times bailiffs or any other debt enforcement agency was brought in to pursue trust staff in order to recover overpayments.
 - Please provide this for each of the following financial years (24/25, 23/24, 22/23, 21/22, 20/21):

Notes:

- If financial year is not possible, please provide instead by calendar year / any other format in which you hold your data
- Wherever possible (and where this doesn't impact on cost) please provide the information in Excel format.

Response:

1.
 - a.
 - 2020/21: 410
 - 2021/22: 521
 - 2022/23: 586
 - 2023/24: 615
 - 2024/25: 626
 - b.
 - 2020/21: 653
 - 2021/22: 850
 - 2022/23: 910
 - 2023/24: 588
 - 2024/25: 478
 - c.
 - 2020/21: Full information not available.

- 2021/22: £608,402
- 2022/2023: £689,963
- 2023/24: £783,597
- 2024/25: £682, 327

d.

- 2020/21: Full information not available.
- 2021/22: £914,680
- 2022/23: £850,619
- 2023/24: £748,029
- 2024/25: £552,178

2. Unfortunately, the Royal Cornwall Hospitals NHS Trust does not hold this information. RCHT is unable to breakdown its figures in order to determine when bailiffs or any other debt enforcement agency have been brought in specifically to recover overpayments made to staff.

Attachment(s):

No Attachment(s)

Date Response sent: 1st September 2025