



Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Request Ref: NGFOI 16/17: 526

Thank you for your request for information received at Northampton General Hospital NHS Trust (NGH) on 18/01/17.

I am pleased that we are now able to provide you with a response to your request as shown below.

Response from Northampton General Hospital NHS Trust (NGH):

1. The total costs to the Trust for translation services in respect of those persons treated by the trust for whom English is not their first language between 1st Jan to 31st December in the years 2013, 2014 and 2015. This should include the costs of all signage, literature and payments to translators whether employed by the Trust or from outside.

Year	Spend
2013/14	£90,333.90
2014/15	£78,573.27
2015/16	£85,463.39
2016/17 (to date)	£65,478.46

2. Also the total amounts recovered during those years from those patients who proved to be not entitled to free treatment by the N.H.S.

I can confirm on behalf of the Trust and in accordance with S.1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) that we do not hold the information that you have requested broken down to this granular level.