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Freedom of Information request

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which was received by the Trust on 26/07/2021. Please see responses to your requests below.

- 1. Can you provide the total number of times you have exceeded the agency price cap limits for each year from 2016 -2020 broken down by each quarter right up to the most recent available data?**



Price Cap Breaches
and Max Rates - Col

Please note the Trust do not have access to the data prior to financial year 2016/17 as our databases only started collating this information from financial year 2016/17 onwards.

- 2. Can you provide the maximum amount paid on a per hour basis for an agency shift for each year from 2016 -2020 broken down by each quarter right up to the most recent available data?**
Please see attachment in question 1.

Please accept this letter as completion of your request. Please note that copies of this request will be held on file for three years before being confidentially destroyed.

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of your request, please contact our Head of Information Governance on Information.Governance@porthosp.nhs.uk or write to the above address and we will conduct an internal review. Upon review, if you are still dissatisfied, you may appeal our decision by contacting the Information Commissioner's Office; for more information, please visit the [ICO's website](#).

Please be aware, if we do not receive an appeal within 30 days of you receiving this letter, we will assume that you are satisfied with our response. If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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