

Obstetrics Staffing

Please answer the following questions regarding your obstetricians for financial years 2015/16, until FY 2022/23, split by grade (as per NHS staffing listed grades) when needed
 The financial year is the period between April 1st to March 31st of the following year (e.g., 01/04/2022 to 31/03/2023)
 Ideally, please provide the answers regarding the staffing you had each October, but it can be another month of the year if October is not available

| Question | Answer field | | | | | | | | |
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| | FY 2015/16 | FY 2016/17 | FY 2017/18 | FY 2018/19 | FY 2019/20 | FY 2020/21 | FY 2021/22 | FY 2022/23 | |
| How many full-time equivalent (FTE) obstetricians did you have in October? | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 12 | |
| Consultant | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Associate Specialist | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Specialty Doctor | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Specialty Registrar | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 7 |
| Core Training | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Foundation Doctor Year 2 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 6 |
| Foundation Doctor Year 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Staff Grade | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Other and Local HCHS Doctor Grades | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Hospital Practitioner / Clinical Assistant | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Did you have a 24/7 consultant obstetrician on call? | yes | yes | yes | yes | yes | yes | yes | yes | yes |
| Was the consultant obstetrician on-call on-site, or were they off-site (e.g., at home)? | on site 0830-1830 then off site | on site 0830-1830 then off site | on site 0830-1830 then off site | on site 0830-1830 then off site | on site 0830-1830 then off site | on site 0830-1830 then off site | on site 0830-1830 then off site | on site 0830-1830 then off site | on site 0830-1830 then off site |
| How many full-time equivalent (FTE) vacancies did you have for consultant obstetricians? | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| What was the expenditure on agency/locum for consultant obstetricians? | 0 | 0 | 2222.5 | 0 | 17130.99 | 35461.6 | 55646.33 | 25052.52 | |

| | 2015/16 - Oct | 2016/17 - Oct | 2017/18 - Oct | 2018/19 - Oct | 2019/20 - Oct | 2020/21 - Oct | 2021/22 - Oct | 2022/23 - Oct | 2023/24 - Oct |
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| Agency Consultant Exp | £ - | £ - | £ 2,222.50 | £ - | £ 17,130.99 | £ 35,461.60 | £ 55,646.33 | £ 25,052.52 | £ 123,453.02 |