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From: Commercial
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Subject: Core surgical trainees (CT1 or CT2),

REQUEST

I would like to request under the freedom of information act the following information.

- 1) The current rota design for core surgical trainees (CT1 or CT2), across all surgical specialties taking core surgical trainees in your trust, including the number of core trainees on each rota. A copy of each rota would be welcome if possible.

Plastic Surgery – 4 CST's Basic rota pattern below.

Week	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
1	00:00 - 9:00		8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 20:45	8:00 - 20:45
2	8:00 - 17:00		8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 17:00		
3	8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 21:00		8:00 - 17:00		
4	8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 21:00			
5	8:00 - 21:00	8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 21:00		
6	20:30 - 24:00	00:00 - 9:00, 20:30 - 24:00	00:00 - 9:00, 20:30 - 24:00	00:00 - 9:00, 20:30 - 24:00	00:00 - 9:00		
7	8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 21:00	8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 17:00		
8	8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 17:00		8:00 - 17:00		
9		8:00 - 17:00	8:00 - 17:00		20:30 - 24:00	00:00 - 9:00, 20:30 - 24:00	00:00 - 9:00, 20:30 - 24:00

General Surgery – 3 CST's Basic rota pattern below.

Week	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
1	8:15 - 17:00	20:00 - 24:00	00:00 - 8:45, 20:00 - 24:00	00:00 - 8:45, 20:00 - 24:00	00:00 - 8:45		
2	8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00		
3		8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00	20:00 - 24:00	00:00 - 8:45, 20:00 - 24:00	00:00 - 8:45, 20:00 - 24:00

4	00:00 - 8:45, 20:00 - 24:00	00:00 - 8:45		8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00		
5	8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00		
6	8:00 - 16:30	12:30 - 21:00	12:30 - 21:00	8:00 - 16:30	8:00 - 16:30		
7	8:00 - 20:45	8:00 - 16:00	8:00 - 20:45		8:00 - 20:45	8:00 - 20:45	8:00 - 20:45
8	8:00 - 16:00	8:00 - 16:00	8:00 - 16:00	8:00 - 16:00	8:00 - 16:00		
9	8:00 - 16:00	8:00 - 20:45	8:00 - 16:00	8:00 - 20:45	8:00 - 16:00		
10	8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00		
11	8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00	8:15 - 17:00		

2) The length of each rota cycle for the level and specialties described above.

Plastic Surgery – 9 week rota cycle

General Surgery – 11 week rota cycle

3) For each specialty:

a. The number of allocated, protected, theatre sessions each trainee has on their rota per rota cycle

PS – (based on each 6 month rotation) 44

GS – 3 theatre sessions per week

b. The number of allocated, protected, clinic sessions each trainee has on their rota per rota cycle

PS – (based on each 6 month rotation) 8

GS – 2 clinic sessions per week

c. The number of on call shifts (both day and night) each trainee has on the rota per rota cycle

PS – (based on each 6 month rotation) Days: 21 (including 6 weekend on-call days) Nights: 21

GS – 14 on-call days per 11 week cycle

d. The number of zero days each trainee has per rota cycle.

PS – 4 zero days per 9 week cycle

GS – 3 zero days per 11 week cycle

e. The number of normal working days each trainee has per rota cycle.

PS – (based on **9 week rota cycle**) 26

GS - (based on **11 week rota cycle**) 26

f. Whether normal working days are spent as ward cover or in theatre/clinic, or a combination.

PS – (based on each 6 month rotation) **Combination –**

55% Theatre 35-40% Ward (3A/4D) 5-10% Clinic (Free days on weekend not included)

GS – Normal working hours are spent as ward cover as well as emergency theatre if required.