

**Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Request Reference FoI/22/505**  
**Consultant Anaesthetists**

**1. How many male substantive consultant anaesthetists employed in your organisation?**

57

**2. How many female substantive consultant anaesthetists employed in your organisation?**

50

**3. Do you have a 'Lead Consultant/Clinical Lead for Regional Anaesthesia'?**

Yes, Dr Sharmila Khot.

**a. What is their gender?**

After considering your request, the UHB believes that the data requested is classed as personal data as defined under the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and Data Protection Act 2018 and its disclosure would be contrary to the data protection principles and constitute unfair and unlawful processing in regard to Articles 5, 6, and 9 of GDPR. We are therefore withholding this detail under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. This exemption is absolute and therefore there is no requirement to apply the public interest test.

**4. Do you have a 'Lead Consultant/Clinical Lead for Obstetric Anaesthesia'?**

Yes, Dr Sarah Harries.

**a. What is their gender?**

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**5. Do you have a 'Departmental Lead for Anaesthesia' or equivalent role?**

Yes, Dr Naomi Goodwin.

**a. What is their gender?**

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