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Email:

Dear,

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI 221207.

You requested the following information, please also see our response below:

How many band 6 paramedics have left the service in the last 2 years? If possible to have as a % of the total number of band 6's in SECAmb also.

This represents 12% of all leavers over the 2 years to 30.11.22.

The total number of band 6 paramedics at 30.11.22 was 722, which represents 16% of all our staff and 68% of band 6 staff.

How many band 6 paramedics have changed their role within SECAmb in the last 2 years? If possible to have a % of the total number of band 6's in SECAmb also.

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This represents 71% of all band 6 role changes during the period.

What are the main reasons band 6 paramedics leave? As per their exit interviews.

Voluntary Resignation – New job/promotion' for those who completed exit interviews during the 2 years to 30.11.22.

This quoted reason for leaving was selected by 38% of Band 6 paramedics who providing exit interview data.

I hope you find this information of some assistance.

If for any reason you are dissatisfied with our response, kindly in the first instance contact Caroline Smart, Head of Information Governance via the following email address:

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Yours sincerely

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