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Email:

Dear,

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI 221214.

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

Could you please tell me how many paramedics (band 5,6,7) work in the Brighton OU now and how many did 5 years ago. Also how many have left frontline roles in the past 5 years please?

Paramedics Band 5-7 in Brighton OU currently

Position Title	(Multiple Items)	
Pay Scale Description	(Multiple Items)	
Row Labels	Count of Employee Number	
278 EP6 OU - Brighton		146
278 Brighton MRC		95
278 Brighton Station		23
278 Burgess Hill Station - Brighton		13
278 Haywards Heath Station - Brighton		13
278 Lewes Station - Brighton		2
Grand Total		146

As above – 5 years ago (Dec 2017)

Position Title	(Multiple Items)	
Pay Scale Description	(Multiple Items)	
Row Labels	Count of Employee Number	
278 EP6 OU - Brighton		83
278 Brighton Station		59
278 Burgess Hill Station - Brighton		13
278 Haywards Heath Station - Brighton		3
278 Hove Station - Brighton		4
278 Lewes Station - Brighton		4
Grand Total		83

**Frontline Band 5-7 leavers (including retirees) over the last 5 years –
01/12/2017 – 30/11/2022**

Pay Grade (Multiple Items)	
Row Labels	Count of Employee Number
278 EP6 OU - Brighton	88
Advanced Ambulance Technician	2
Ambulance Paramedic	51
Ambulance Technician	6
Newly Qualified Paramedic (NQP)	14
Paramedic Practitioner	15
Grand Total	88

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

**Freedom of Information Coordinator
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