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Dear,

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The trust acknowledges receipt of your Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) request, referenced above. Please ensure you quote this number in any future correspondence.

### **FOI Request**

You asked us:

**I am writing to submit a Freedom of Information request regarding the eligibility of employees within South East Coast Ambulance Service for NHSE training while having disciplinary warnings on their employment record.**

**Specifically, I would like to request the following:**

- 1. Has any employee within South East Coast Ambulance Service been placed on NHSE training (or similar NHS leadership, clinical, or other professional training programs, including paramedic science degree) while holding a first written warning or above on their personnel file?**
- 2. If so, how many employees have been placed on such training under these circumstances in the past 5 years?**

**Please provide any relevant data or documentation regarding this matter. If you require any clarification, I would be happy to provide further details.**

### **Formal Response**

The Trust confirms it holds the information you have requested.

No employees have been placed on NHSE training (or similar NHS leadership, clinical, or other professional training programs, including paramedic science degree) while holding a first written warning or above on their personnel file, in the past 5 years.



## Next steps

Please note you will be able to source a lot of information which is made available on our website.

Should you be dissatisfied with our response then in the first instance please contact Richard Banks, Head of Corporate Governance, via the following email address: [FOI@secamb.nhs.uk](mailto:FOI@secamb.nhs.uk)

You can ask us to review our original response. If you would like us to carry out an internal review, please let us know within 40 working days of you receiving our original response. This review will be conducted by an individual who was not directly involved in reviewing the original response, ordinarily, the Trust Data Protection Officer.

We will endeavour to complete this request within 20 working days.

Should you remain dissatisfied then you can contact the [Information Commissioner's Office](#) (ICO). Complaints to the ICO should be made within six weeks of receiving the outcome of an internal review. The easiest way to lodge a complaint is through their website: [www.ico.org.uk/foicomplaints](http://www.ico.org.uk/foicomplaints).

Alternatively, the ICO's postal address is:

Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely,

**Freedom of Information Coordinator  
South East Coast Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust**



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