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Dear,

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI/17/07/35.

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

**Total staff number- Paramedic/Technician/ECA/EMT1/ECP/Senior Paramedic/Advanced Paramedic (any frontline, blue light emergency worker)**

**Of those staff members, number of those who identify:**

**Male or Female**

**Non-white ethnicity**

**LGBTQ**

**Disability**

**In addition to this could I please request the numbers of staff in Emergency Operations- including EOC, who hold a position of Band 7 or above, and how many of those identify in any of the above listed categories.**

**The following timeframe to be used Jan 2017 - Jun 2017 and Jan 2012 - June 2012**

We are unable to provide data between two dates. However please find below the figures for the 30<sup>th</sup> June 2012 and 30<sup>th</sup> June 2017 and the information regarding staff who identify as different groups, where declared.

**30 June 2012**

Position Title	Headcount
Clinical Team Leader*	189
Critical Care Paramedic	33
Emergency Care Support Worker	205
Paramedic	535
Paramedic Practitioner	116
Technician	809
EOC (band 7 and above)	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>1891</b>

**30 June 2012**

Position Title	Female	Male	Not White	LGBTQ	Disability
Clinical Team Leader	38	151	4	2	6
Critical Care Paramedic	1	32	2	1	2
Emergency Care Support Worker	94	111	3	11	2
Paramedic	183	352	10	20	18
Paramedic Practitioner	37	79	1	1	1
Technician	366	443	7	32	39
EOC (band 7 and above)		4		0	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>719</b>	<b>1172</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>68</b>

**30 June 2017**

Position Title	Headcount
Associate Practitioner	180
Critical Care Paramedic	57
Emergency Care Support Worker	445
Newly Qualified Paramedic (NQP)	210
Operational Team Leader*	161
Paramedic	698
Paramedic Practitioner	92
Technician	383
EOC (band 7 and above)	24
<b>Total</b>	<b>2250</b>

**30 June 2017**

Position Title	Female	Male	Not White	LGBTQ	Disability
Associate Practitioner	77	103	3	10	2
Critical Care Paramedic	9	48	1	2	2
Emergency Care Support Worker	196	249	12	20	14
Newly Qualified Paramedic (NQP)	95	115	14	10	3
Operational Team Leader	42	119	5	11	2
Paramedic	298	400	18	36	17
Paramedic Practitioner	29	63	1	3	2
Technician	178	205	5	11	18
EOC (band 7 and above)	13	11		7	2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>937</b>	<b>1313</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>62</b>

Please note: The Clinical Team Leader position title has been changed to Operational Team Leader between the dates of these two reports.

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, Information Governance Manager via the following email address:

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Yours sincerely

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