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Dear,

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI/18/07/09.

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

Under the Freedom of Information Act, may I please request the following information for the last five years (2016/17, 2015/16, 2014/15, 2013/14, 2012/13) for each of the following:

1. Level of deficit at year end

This can be found in our annual reports via the following link:
http://www.secamb.nhs.uk/about_us/document_library.aspx?cat=33

2. External consultancy services spend

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3. Breakdown of consultancy spend by all sectors e.g health management consultancy, digital health consultancy, environment consultancy etc

Please see table below:

Sectors	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17
IT	£15,000	£28,000	£0	£3,000	£27,000
HR	£22,000	£35,000	£11,000	£0	£54,000
Management	£522,000	£648,000	£250,000	£444,000	£571,000
Call Centre	£0	£0	£301,000	£4,000	£1,000
Total	£559,000	£711,000	£562,000	£451,000	£653,000

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 Lead via the following email address:

FOI@secamb.nhs.uk

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Coordinator
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