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Dear Mr Santos

**Ref:** Request for information under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request received 14 March 2024. The Trust's response is as follows:

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unsolicited marketing communications.

Question 1: What software do you use for your payroll, hr and finance solutions, how much

annually do you spend on each, when does each contract expire?

Answer 1:

Service	Software	Annual Spend	Contract expiry
Payroll	ESR	The ESR system for Payroll and HR is a national	
HR	ESR	system and contract. The Trust does not hold contract information	
Finance	ABS	£122,784 (2022/2023)	March 2024 (annually renewed)

Question 2: Do you manage your payroll in-house or do you outsource it if so, who do you

outsource it to?

**Answer 2:** The service is in-house.

Question 3: How many people do you pay each month using your payroll solution?

**Answer 3:** 5,453.

**Question 4:** How many pensioners do you pay using your payroll solution?

Answer 4: None.

Question 5: Do you use Microsoft power platform technologies such as Power Automate, Power

Virtual Agents?

Answer 5: No.











**Question 6:** What is the employee count in your organisation?

**Answer 6:** 5,818.

Question 7: Do you collaborate with other organisations in the delivery of HR & Payroll shared

services? If so which organisation?

**Answer 7:** Stockport NHS Foundation Trust.

Question 8: Do you work with any industry experts such as ATOS, KPMG, EY, Accenture etc?

Answer 8: No.

Question 9: Who in your organisation is the head of service for HR and Payroll software or

services and what is their role?

**Answer 9:** Assistant Director of People Recruitment and Workforce Ms Amanda Midgley.

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Yours sincerely

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