

RE: Freedom of Information Request 201718 / 002 – Unfilled Vacancies

Your Query	Date of Request	April 2017
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. How many vacancies in your hospital (s) are currently unfilled (as of today when you compile the answers to this FOI)?2. How many of those unfilled vacancies are for nursing jobs?3. How many of those unfilled vacancies are for consultant jobs?4. How many of those unfilled vacancies are for roles within your ICU (if applicable)?5. How many of those unfilled vacancies were first advertised over 6 months ago (first posted in October 2016 or before)?6. What is the longest duration any of your current vacancies has remained unfilled?		
Response		
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. 34.2. 13 (includes registered and unregistered).3. 0.4. N/A.5. 5.6. The requested information is not collated by NHS Orkney, therefore I must advise that in terms of Section 17 of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 the information sought is not held. <p>Vacancies noted are those that have been approved for recruitment and are currently going through the recruitment process (up until someone starts in the post) i.e. active recruitment is taking place. Vacancies with no active recruitment taking place cannot be noted as an accurate figure cannot be provided.</p>		