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Dear [REDACTED]

**Request for Information**

I write further to your request FOI ID 52345 under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 regarding: -

Use of simulation in staff training

Your request is set out below:

1. Does the Trust currently use simulation to train any staff groups (e.g., consultants, resident doctors, nurses, allied health professionals, etc.)?

**Yes**

2. If yes, what simulation methodologies are employed (e.g., role-play with actors, digital avatars, augmented reality, virtual reality, or other approaches)?

**Role play and Simulation**

3. What were the initial setup costs for implementing simulation training?

***Immediate Life Support Training, Basic Life Support Training and unannounced resus simulations - x1 resuscitation team member, x1 Laerdel manikin, x1 rescue kit, x1 set of grab bag equipment, x1 specialist nurse AED. The grab bag equipment includes x1 non-rebreathe mask with tubing, x2 oropharyngeal airways, x2 nasopharyngeal airways, x1 lubricant (for manikin), x1 bag valve with tubing, x1 bag valve mask (BVM), x1 syringe, x1 igel***

**Medical - No initial set up costs were involved with using the actors but we do pay an invoice. We did purchase Xenodu procurement & installation support fee to assist in the purchase and set up of the equipment to run AVATr simulation scenarios.**

4. What are the ongoing annual costs, if any, associated with maintaining and delivering simulation training?

**Clinical**

**This is incorporated within the resuscitation team time management and equipment budget**

**Medical**

**PRP Role Players - 64 actors required across 4 blocks for GKT Kings Medical Student**

**Teaching £20,688.00**

**We are proud to be smoke free**Trust Chair – Dr Jackie Craissati  
Chief Executive – Sheila Stenson

**PRP Role Players -14 Actors @ £240.00 each for a 1/2 day for KMMS Year 3 for Medical Students Teaching Day – 3 x half days £10,080**  
**PRP Role Players - 36 actors @ £240.00 each for KMMS Year 5 for Medical Students Teaching Day sessions - £8,640.00**  
**PRP Role Players - 6 actors @ £335.00 each for a full day for KMMS Medical Students Revision & Consolidation Day £2,010.00**  
**PRP Role Players - 2 actors @ £288.00 for Psychiatric Revision Videos for Medical Students £576**  
**PRP Role Players - 1 actor @ £550.00 each for a half day for KMPT Recording Mental Health Simulation Scenario**  
**PRP Role Players - 16 actors @ £335.00 each for a full day for KMPT Mock CASC for Core Resident doctors Psychiatry £5,360.00**  
**Crisis Cast 1 x actor for 6 sessions - Sim Training Sept 24-May 25 for Foundation Resident Doctors Simulation teaching. £1,980.00**  
**Xenodu Ltd Xenodu procurement & installation support fee to assist in the purchase and set up of the equipment to run AVATr simulation scenarios. £1,000.00**  
**Delivery of Simulation De-Brief Training Undergraduate Faculty Day - £750**

5. How many trainees did the Trust host in the last financial year (2024/2025) who were enrolled in training for a mental health–related profession?

**Clinical Psychology Trainees = 56**  
**Art Psychotherapist = 4**  
**Clinical Assistant Psychologist = 6**  
**Trainee Psychoanalyst = 1**  
**Trainee Integrative Psychotherapist = 1**  
**Trainee Cognitive Behavioural Therapist = 17**  
**Trainee Counselling Psychologist = 4**  
**Psychodynamic Psychotherapy Trainee = 6**  
**Family Psychotherapist = 1**  
**Psychotherapy Trainee = 1**  
**Occupational Therapy = 96**  
**Paramedic = 22**  
**Physiotherapy = 7**  
**Prosthetics = 2**  
**Speech & Language Therapy = 2**  
**Sports Exercise = 1**  
**Clinical apprentices = 123**  
**Resident Doctors = 154**  
**Medical Students = 344**  
**Nursing Students and Apprentices = 776**

I confirm that the information above completes your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. I am also pleased to confirm that no charge will be made for this request.

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Yours Sincerely  
 On Behalf of  
 The Information Governance Department