

Question:

1. The total number of people who have been engaged, either on a temporary or full time basis, by the 'Leadership Centre' in the Department of Health, in each of the last five years
2. The total cost of the 'Leadership Centre' to the public purse in the last five years
3. The average day rate of consultants contracted by the Leadership Centre in the last five years
4. The highest day rate charged by a consultant to the Leadership Centre in the last five years

Response:

Financial Year	Distinct Count of Individual Consultants
21/22	36
22/23	49
23/24	60
24/25	68
25/26	69
Grand Total	202

For the figures presented in this table, please note the following;

- The figures represent the total number of people who have been engaged, either on a temporary or full time basis, by the HSC Leadership Centre in the Department of Health, in each of the last five years:
- These figures represent unique individuals engaged in each financial year. However an individual may have undertaken multiple assignments during a financial year but been counted only once within that year. The same individual may, however, be included in the figures for more than one financial year where they were engaged during different years.
- The work was requested or started within the stated financial year.

The Department of Health does not centrally hold a full analysis of the figures contained within the table. Further information may be available from the Leadership Centre. Contact details are provided below.

Total cost of the 'Leadership Centre' to the public purse in the last five years

Expenditure -HSC Leadership Centre					
£'000	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
DoH	781	1,702	1,644	2,049	1,353

With regard to Questions 3 and 4, as stated above, the Department does not hold this information. It is recommended to contact that Leadership Centre directly at enquiries@leadership.hscni.net or Foi.bso@hscni.net

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