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Dear

Thank you for your email of 9 February 2016 requesting the following information:

"Is the bid process still on-going to decide upon new ownership? Could you provide me with detail on the number of staff currently working there, including non-clinical and clinical breakdown (with specialties)?"

Your enquiry has been treated as a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 2000 and the Ministry of Defence (MOD) can confirm that it holds information within the scope of your enquiry.

The table below shows the number of staff currently working at the Defence Medical Rehabilitation Centre at Headley Court broken down by speciality as at 17 February 2016. For data protection reasons any numbers less than 5 have been replaced with ~.

All Admin	64
All clinical	137
Clinical staff broken down-	
Physiotherapists	19
Pharmacists	~
Speech Therapists	~
Dieticians	~
Nurses (various)	18
Occupational Therapy staff	26
Health Care	18
Consultants	10
Psychology staff	5
Rehabilitation/Exercise Rehabilitation	11
Instructors	
Social Workers	9
Podiatrists	~
Scientific Officers	~

In 2018, the Defence Rehabilitation facility at Headley Court is due to relocate to the Defence and National Rehabilitation Centre in the East Midlands. As the Headley Court estate is owned in its entirety by the Trustees of the Headley Court Charity, it will be for the Trustees (rather than the MOD) to determine a future use for the site.

If you are not satisfied with this response or you wish to complain about any aspect of the handling of your request, then you should contact the Headquarters of the Surgeon General in the first instance. If informal resolution is not possible and you are still dissatisfied then you may apply for an independent internal review by contacting the Deputy Chief Information Officer, 2nd Floor, MOD Main Building, Whitehall, SW1A 2HB (e-mail CIO-FOI-IR@mod.uk). Please note that any request for an internal review must be made within 40 working days of the date on which the attempt to reach informal resolution has come to an end.

If you remain dissatisfied following an internal review, you may take your complaint to the Information Commissioner under the provisions of Section 50 of the FOIA. Please note that the Information Commissioner will not investigate your case until the MOD internal review process has been completed. Further details of the role and powers of the Information Commissioner can be found on the Commissioner's website, http://www.ico.org.uk.

Yours sincerely,

Headquarters of the Surgeon General