### Freedom of Information Act 2000 disclosure log entry

#### Reference

17-18362

#### Date sent

29/03/2018

## Subject

Governor Elections since 2012

## Details of enquiry

I am writing to obtain information about elections to the Trust's Council of Governors, for all elections held since 2012.

Please include the following information:

- Date of ballot
- Balloting company used
- Total number of eligible voters
- Number of ballots issued (if different from the above)
- · Number of votes cast
- Number of paper ballots
- Number of electronic ballots
- Turnout
- Total Cost
- Cost charge by balloting company for admin
- · Cost charged for scrutineering including staff
- Costs for other services
- Any events or activities either social, marketing, CPD that your existing and potential ballot suppliers invite you too

If you are unable to answer provide details for one of the above bullet points, please continue to provide information for the others.



## Response Sent

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	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012				
Date of Ballot	10/07/2017	n/a - uncontested election for staff governor, May 2016	23/09/2015	n/a - uncontested election for staff governor, July 2014	n/a - no elections held in this year	17/09/2012				
Balloting company used	Electoral Reform Services	Electoral Reform Services	Electoral Reform Services	Electoral Reform Services	n/a	Electoral Reform Services				
Total number of eligible voters	3645	n/a	6676	n/a	n/a	5782				
Number of ballots issued (if different from above)	As above	n/a	As above	n/a	n/a	As above				
Number of votes cast	279	n/a	523	n/a	n/a	498				
Number of paper ballots	279	n/a	523	n/a	n/a	498				
Number of electronic ballots	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a				
Turnout	7.65%	n/a	7.83%	n/a	n/a	8.61%				
Total Costs	£3,765	n/a	no information	n/a	n/a	£2,532				
Cost charge by balloting company for admin	£3,765	n/a	no information	n/a	n/a	£2,532				
Cost charged for scrutineering including staff	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a				

# The Tavistock and Portman **MHS**

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Costs for other services	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Any events or activities either social, marketing, CPD that your existing and potential ballot suppliers invite you too	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a