

FORTH VALLEY NHS BOARD

PUBLIC SERVICES REFORM (SCOTLAND) ACT 2010

STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2016

1.0 INTRODUCTION

The duties of the Scottish Government and public bodies under part 3 of the Act are to publish a range of financial and other information intended to promote openness and transparency across the public sector in Scotland.

Additional financial and performance information is contained within Forth Valley NHS Board Annual Accounts available at the following link:

<http://www.nhsforthvalley.com/publications/financial-information/>

2.0 PUBLIC RELATIONS: £ 0.306M

This figure is consistent with the value per Note 6 to the 2015/2016 Annual Accounts.

3.0 OVERSEAS TRAVEL: £ 0.004M

Costs associated with overseas travel including accommodation, subsistence and transportation in respect of 7 trips for 10 members of staff.

4.0 HOSPITALITY AND ENTERTAINMENT: £ 0.060M

Expenditure on hospitality including catering costs for staff events, gifts, meals, parties, and receptions.

5.0 EXTERNAL CONSULTANCY: £ 0.000M

There was no expenditure during 2015/16 which met the definition of external consultancy as set out in Scottish Government guidance:

<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Topics/Government/Procurement/about/SPDDOCFORMS/v>

6.0 PAYMENTS WITH A VALUE IN EXCESS OF £0.025M

This information is published on the Board's website at the following link:

<http://www.nhsforthvalley.com/publications/financial-information/>

7.0 MEMBERS OR EMPLOYEES WHO RECEIVE REMUNERATION IN EXCESS OF £0.150m

During 2015/16, 37 individuals received remuneration in excess of £0.150m. All are clinical staff.