

FOI_0877_2022-23 – FOI Request Concerning – NHS Pension Scheme

1. In the years between 2018 to 2022, how many permanent employees voluntarily opted out of the NHS pension scheme?

	Year	Numbers
Number of staff opting out	Pre 2018	325
	2018	146
	2019	197
	2020	247
	2021	547
	2022	374
	Total Opt Out	1836
	Total Staff	7875
	Percentage	23%

Please be advised that this figure represents the number of staff who have opted out of the NHS Pension Scheme and remain opted out. It does not include staff who may have opted out during this time but have also re-joined the NHS Pension scheme. Additionally, please note in some cases the opt out date has not been recorded within our report and therefore not included in this figure. Also, the information provided is based on current staff (including bank). This data doesn't show staff who have left the organisation.

2. In the years between 2018 to 2022, how many employees requested to opt into the NHS pension scheme?

Solent NHS Trust does not hold this information.

3. In the years between 2018 to 2022, how many people employed on a permanent contract were aged 66 and above?

Headcount of Staff age 66+ (permanent contracts only)	No Staff
2018	66
2019	61
2020	60
2021	65
2022	63