

Diagnostic radiography workforce census 2014

Welcome

Welcome to the UK diagnostic radiography workforce census 2014 by the College of Radiographers. The results of this census will inform the work of professional bodies, workforce planners and commissioners/providers of radiography education. It is important we obtain information from all centres delivering diagnostic radiography services, both NHS and independent/private providers, and from all the UK countries.

The census should be completed by the Radiology Services Manager (or equivalent) on behalf of all diagnostic radiography services provided by their hospital/workplace. If you are responsible for multiple sites please provide one response on behalf of all those sites. If you are a national independent/private healthcare provider, you may provide one single response to cover all your UK sites if that is easier for you.

The results will be published on <http://www.sor.org/learning/document-library> by geographical area. Individual responses will not be identifiable.

Please answer the census on behalf of all diagnostic radiography services in your hospital/workplace. Include all diagnostic radiographers, sonographers, nuclear medicine technologists, assistant practitioners and trainee assistant practitioners. Please DO NOT include radiographic assistants (helpers / healthcare support workers), clerical workers, clinical scientists, radiotherapy staff or third party managed services where the staff are employed by the third party. You will be asked about workforce levels in each AfC band (or equivalent) as of 1st September 2014.

This census may take you up to 15 minutes to complete. Please answer all the questions marked with a star*.

Please contact Charlotte Beardmore on 020 7740 7229 charlotteb@sor.org if you have any questions about this census.

Your details

***1. Your name**

***2. Your job title**

***3. Your work email address**

***4. Name(s) of hospital(s)/workplace(s) on behalf of which you are responding**

5. Name of Trust/Health Board (if applicable)

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DATA PROTECTION

We ask for the personal details on this page so we may contact you about your response if necessary, and about other work of the Society and College of Radiographers (SCoR). We intend to use these responses to circulate the census again next year. Personal data will not be published as part of the census results. Any personal data which the SCoR collects, records or uses in any way will have appropriate safeguards applied to ensure compliance with the Data Protection Act.

The questionnaire is hosted by Survey Monkey who are based in the United States. Survey Monkey are listed as a "Safe Harbor" organisation by the US Department of Commerce. The "Safe Harbor" list is designed to list US organisations complying with the European Commission's Directive on Data Protection. Data is collected and stored by Survey Monkey, but only made available to the account holder (The SCoR). All information collected is kept confidential and secure and is not shared with any third-parties by Survey Monkey.

By completing this questionnaire you are giving your consent for the personal data you provide to be processed by Survey Monkey and the SCoR.

Demographics

*6. Which of the following best describes your workplace/hospital

- NHS health board
- NHS acute trust
- NHS mental health trust
- NHS community health trust
- Independent/private hospital
- Charitable healthcare provider
- Self-employed/small company

Other (please specify)

*7. In which geographic area is your hospital/workplace?

- England
- Northern Ireland
- Scotland
- Wales
- UK-wide
- Isle of Man or Channel Islands

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8. [England only] Please indicate your Local Education and Training Body (Health Education England Local Board).

- Not applicable
- East Midlands
- East of England
- Kent, Surrey and Sussex
- North East
- North West
- North West London
- North, Central and East London
- South London
- South West
- Thames Valley
- Wessex
- West Midlands
- Yorkshire and the Humber

Service provision

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*9. In which areas/modalities does your hospital/workplace provide diagnostic radiography services? (Select all that apply.)

- AAA screening
- Accident and Emergency
- Bone Densitometry
- Breast Imaging/Screening
- Cardiology
- Catheter Lab
- Community hospital/department
- CT
- Dental
- Facility provided by external provider staffed with NHS employees
- Hybrid scanning PETCT/PETMR
- Interventional radiology non-vascular
- Interventional radiology vascular
- Maternity
- Mobile units
- MRI
- Neuroradiology
- NHS facility staffed by non-NHS employees
- Nuclear Medicine
- Paediatric
- Radiology / X-ray
- Ultrasound
- Vascular
- X-ray including fluoroscopy

Other (please specify)

Workload

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10. How many of the following were performed in your hospital/workplace between 01/04/2013 and 31/03/2014? (Enter 0 if zero. Leave blank if not known.)

Plain x-ray and fluoroscopy	<input type="text"/>
CT	<input type="text"/>
MRI	<input type="text"/>
Ultrasound	<input type="text"/>
SPECT, PET-CT and nuclear medicine	<input type="text"/>
Interventional Radiology (not including CT/US guided biopsies)	<input type="text"/>
Interventional radiology non-vascular	<input type="text"/>
Interventional radiology vascular	<input type="text"/>

Establishment figures as of 1 SEPTEMBER 2014

Please INCLUDE all diagnostic radiographers, sonographers, nuclear medicine technologists, assistant practitioners and trainee assistant practitioners as of 1st September 2014 below. Please EXCLUDE radiographic assistants (helpers / healthcare support workers), clerical workers, clinical scientists, radiotherapy staff and third party managed services where the staff are employed by the third party.

Providers who do not use Agenda for Change, please enter your figures into the 'Band N/A' box at the end.

*11. Total diagnostic radiographic workforce establishment (Whole Time Equivalent) as of 1 SEPTEMBER 2014.

Band 3	<input type="text"/>
Band 4	<input type="text"/>
Band 5	<input type="text"/>
Band 6	<input type="text"/>
Band 7	<input type="text"/>
Band 8a	<input type="text"/>
Band 8b	<input type="text"/>
Band 8c	<input type="text"/>
Band 8d	<input type="text"/>
Band 9	<input type="text"/>
Band N/A	<input type="text"/>

The radiographic workforce - Vacancies (whole time equivalent)

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*12. Number of radiographic workforce posts which are VACANT (Whole Time Equivalent) as of 1 SEPTEMBER 2014.

Band 3	<input type="text"/>
Band 4	<input type="text"/>
Band 5	<input type="text"/>
Band 6	<input type="text"/>
Band 7	<input type="text"/>
Band 8a	<input type="text"/>
Band 8b	<input type="text"/>
Band 8c	<input type="text"/>
Band 8d	<input type="text"/>
Band 9	<input type="text"/>
Band N/A	<input type="text"/>

The radiographic workforce - 3 month vacancies (whole time equivalent)

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*13. Number of radiographic workforce posts which have been VACANT FOR 3 MONTHS (Whole Time Equivalent) as of 1 SEPTEMBER 2014.

Band 3	<input type="text"/>
Band 4	<input type="text"/>
Band 5	<input type="text"/>
Band 6	<input type="text"/>
Band 7	<input type="text"/>
Band 8a	<input type="text"/>
Band 8b	<input type="text"/>
Band 8c	<input type="text"/>
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Band N/A	<input type="text"/>

The radiographic workforce - total establishment (headcount)

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services where the staff are employed by the third party.

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Please note questions from this point forward relate to Headcount (not Whole Time Equivalent).

***14. Total radiographic workforce establishment (Headcount).**

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Band 4	<input type="text"/>
Band 5	<input type="text"/>
Band 6	<input type="text"/>
Band 7	<input type="text"/>
Band 8a	<input type="text"/>
Band 8b	<input type="text"/>
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Band N/A	<input type="text"/>

The radiographic workforce - on career break

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***15. Number of radiographic workforce posts with post holder on CAREER BREAK (headcount).**

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Band 4	<input type="text"/>
Band 5	<input type="text"/>
Band 6	<input type="text"/>
Band 7	<input type="text"/>
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Band 9	<input type="text"/>
Band N/A	<input type="text"/>

The radiographic workforce - long term sickness absence

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Long term sickness absence is defined as any continuous period of 28 calendar days or longer for the purposes of the following question.

*** 16. Number of radiographic workforce posts with post holder on LONG TERM SICKNESS ABSENCE (headcount).**

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Band 5	<input type="text"/>
Band 6	<input type="text"/>
Band 7	<input type="text"/>
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Band 8b	<input type="text"/>
Band 8c	<input type="text"/>
Band 8d	<input type="text"/>
Band 9	<input type="text"/>
Band N/A	<input type="text"/>

The radiographic workforce - on maternity leave

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*17. Number of radiographic workforce posts with post holder on MATERNITY LEAVE (headcount).

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Band 5	<input type="text"/>
Band 6	<input type="text"/>
Band 7	<input type="text"/>
Band 8a	<input type="text"/>
Band 8b	<input type="text"/>
Band 8c	<input type="text"/>
Band 8d	<input type="text"/>
Band 9	<input type="text"/>
Band N/A	<input type="text"/>

The radiographic workforce - in training

Please Include all diagnostic radiographers in post-registration training as of 1st September 2014 below.

*18. Number of qualified diagnostic radiographers in post-registration training (Headcount).

Plain film reporting	<input type="text"/>
Ultrasound	<input type="text"/>
Other	<input type="text"/>

The radiographic workforce - advanced and consultant practice

Please Include all diagnostic radiographers, sonographers and nuclear medicine technologists as of 1st September 2014 below.

*19. Number of diagnostic radiographers, sonographers and nuclear medicine technologists in advanced / consultant practice (Headcount).

Advanced practitioners	<input type="text"/>
Consultant practitioners	<input type="text"/>

Your comments

20. Please use the box below to provide any comments you may have related to your submission.