

Radiotherapy: radiographic workforce census 2013

Welcome

Welcome to the UK radiotherapy radiographic workforce census 2013. The College of Radiographers is carrying out this survey which sits alongside the similar IPEM physics and RCR Clinical Oncologist workforce censuses. The results of this census will inform the work of professional bodies, workforce planners within each UK country, commissioners and providers of radiotherapy. It is important we obtain information from all centres delivering Radiotherapy, both NHS and Private centres, and from all the UK countries.

The data will be published by country and by cancer centre name.

Please answer the census on behalf of your cancer centre. Please include all radiographic staff in your radiotherapy workforce EXCEPT RT helpers and admin staff. You will be asked about workforce levels in each AfC band as of 1st November 2013.

This census may take you up to 15 minutes to complete. You must answer all the questions*. Please contact Charlotte Beardmore on 020 7740 7229 charlotteb@sor.org if you have any questions about this census.

Your centre

*1. Name of cancer centre

This census will ask for the total numbers of radiographers, assistant practitioners and trainee assistant practitioners within the budgetary control of the radiotherapy service manager (including those working within Vsim and Mould room under their budgetary control), by whole time equivalent and headcount. Please do not include RT helpers or admin staff in the figures.

Establishment and vacancy figures as of 1 NOVEMBER 2013

Please include therapeutic radiographer, assistant practitioner and trainee assistant practitioner figures as of 1st November 2013 below.

*2. Total radiographic workforce establishment (Whole Time Equivalent) as of 1 NOVEMBER 2013.

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"/>

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*3. Number of radiographic workforce posts which are VACANT (Whole Time Equivalent) as of 1 NOVEMBER 2013.

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)

Please include therapeutic radiographer, assistant practitioner and trainee assistant practitioner figures as of 1st November 2013 below.

*4. Number of radiographic workforce posts which have been VACANT FOR 3 MONTHS (Whole Time Equivalent).

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 - total establishment (headcount)

Please include therapeutic radiographer, assistant practitioner and trainee assistant practitioner figures as of 1st November 2013 below.

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*5. Total radiographic workforce establishment (Headcount).

Band 3	<input type="text"/>
Band 4	<input type="text"/>
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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 - on career break

Please include therapeutic radiographer, assistant practitioner and trainee assistant practitioner figures as of 1st November 2013 below.

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

Band 3	<input type="text"/>
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Band 7	<input type="text"/>
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Band 8c	<input type="text"/>
Band 8d	<input type="text"/>
Band 9	<input type="text"/>
Band N/A	<input type="text"/>

The radiographic workforce - long term sickness absence

Please include therapeutic radiographer, assistant practitioner and trainee assistant practitioner figures as of 1st November 2013 below.

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

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

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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 - on maternity leave

Please include therapeutic radiographer, assistant practitioner and trainee assistant practitioner figures as of 1st November 2013 below.

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

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Band 6	<input type="text"/>
Band 7	<input type="text"/>
Band 8a	<input type="text"/>
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Band 8c	<input type="text"/>
Band 8d	<input type="text"/>
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Additional capacity on existing site and new satellites

In order to understand the required radiography workforce growth over the coming 5 years it would be very helpful if you could answer the following questions please?

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***9. Approximately how many additional WTE Radiography staff do you anticipate may be needed in your service up to and including 2018? (If none anticipated please answer 0).**

Your comments

10. Please use the box below to provide any comments you may have related to your submission. If you are "over-established" at any AfC bands, please give details here.