

# Database of Hospital Doctors

## Database structure

Field number	Field name	Field size (characters)	Content
Field 1	REGION	30	Identifies the NHS region the organisation is located in e.g. North
Field 2	STATUS	20	Identifies the organisation's type. See 'Database contents and responsibility codes' for full list
Field 3	ORGNAME	50	Identifies the name of the organisation
Field 4	DEPARTMENT	50	Identifies the department in which the contact works
Field 5	ADDRESS1	50	
Field 6	ADDRESS2	50	
Field 7	ADDRESS3	50	
Field 8	TOWN	30	
Field 9	COUNTY	30	
Field 10	POSTCODE	10	
Field 11	TELEPHONE	30	
Field 12	RESPCODE	100	A list of all responsibilities a person holds at this organisation. See 'Database contents and responsibility codes' for full list
Field 13	SALUTATION	10	Prefix for the person's name e.g. Dr
Field 14	INITIALS	20	The initials or first name(s) of the contact
Field 15	SURNAME	30	
Field 16	JOBTITLE	50	
Field 17	URN	10	Unique record number for an individual
Field 18	SITE	10	A unique number assigned to an organisation
Field 19	LOC	10	A unique number assigned to a location under an organisation
Field 20	GRADE	10	Identifies the qualified grade for a contact, e.g. Consultant, Associate Specialist. See 'Database contents and responsibilities codes' for a full list
Field 21	SPECCODE	100	Unique code for each specialty a doctor has. To be used for counting & extracting records by specialty. See 'Database contents and responsibilities codes' for a list of the codes
Field 22	UMBCODE	100	A broader categorisation than specialty i.e. more than one specialty, will have the same umbrella specialty. See 'Database contents and responsibilities codes' for a full list

Field number	Field name	Field size (characters)	Content
Field 23	DEPTID	10	
Field 24	COMM_AREA	50	Identifies the Commissioning Area associated with each organisation
Field 25	CATEGORY	50	Identifies the management site category code. See 'Database contents and responsibility codes' for full list
Field 26	GREETING	50	Can be used to add a greeting to your mailing e.g. Dear

## Database contents and responsibility codes

### Status codes and descriptions

Status code	Description
CP	Care Provider
DHSS N_Ireland	Department of Health in Northern Ireland
HB_ROI	ROI Health Board
HBS	Health Board Scotland
HBSCOMBINEDSERVICE	Health Board Scotland Combined Service
HBSSPECSERVICE	Health Board Scotland Specialist Service
HOSP_ROI	Republic of Ireland Hospital
ICB	Integrated Care Board
ICB Sub Location	ICB Sub Location
IHOSPICE	Independent Hospice
Islands	Isle of Man, States of Guernsey and States of Jersey
ISTC	Independent Sector Treatment Centre
LGVT	Local Government
LHB	Local Health Board
NCB	National Comm Board
NCB_RO	National Commissioning Board – Regional Office
NHS Executive	NHS Executive
NHS in Scotland	NHS in Scotland
NHS in Wales	NHS in Wales
Nursing/Care Home	Nursing/Care Home
Other	Other
PH_CENTRE	Public Health Centre
Private_Consultant	Private Consultant
PRIVATEHOSP	Private Hospital
PRIVATEHOSPHQ	Private Hospital HQ
PRIVATEPRAC	Private Practice
SPECIAL	Special Health Authority
SSO	Shared Services Organisation
TRUST	Acute or Mental Health Services
UNIT	An organisation in a transitional phase: e.g. when two NHS organisations merge into one, the old trusts are temporarily flagged as a Unit for historical reference.

## List of management site category codes

Code	Description
~01	Headquarters (Trust, HA, HB, HSC)
~02	Acute Services
~04	Community Services
~05	Ambulance Service
~06	Mental Health Services
~07	Primary Care Services
~08	Learning Disability Services
~09	Care Trust
~10	Foundation Trust
~11	Private Patient Services
~12	Teaching Trust
~23	Commissioning Services
~41	Private Sector Healthcare Provider
~52	Quality

**Note:** Management site category code classifications are in many cases not unique. Some units consider themselves as providing more than one type of care and therefore more than one categorisation may be used for that site (e.g. ~02~04).

## List of responsibility codes

Code	Responsibility
~0593C	Clinical Directors
~0409M	Director of Public Health
~0410M	Medical Director
~0591D	Other Hospital Doctors
~0450D	Public Health Consultant
~1478S	Regional Advisor in Anaesthesia
~1610S	Regional Advisor in Intensive Care Medicine
~1477S	Regional Advisor in Pain Management

## List of responsibility code suffixes and definitions

Suffix	Description
C	Clinical Directorate
D	Hospital Doctor
M	Management
S	Advisory Roles

## List of specialty codes

Code	Specialty
~001	A & E
~002	Adnexal Service
~246	Adult Congenital Cardiology
~003	Adult Psychology
~004	Ambulatory Paediatrics
~005	Anaesthetics
~006	Andrology
~007	Anterior Segment
~220	Asthma
~008	Audiological Medicine
~010	Bacteriology
~011	Biochemistry
~213	Bone Marrow - Oncology
~198	Clinical Oncology
~025	Clinical Pharmacology
~026	Clinical Physiology
~027	Colo-Proctology
~207	Colo-rectal Oncology
~028	Colo-Rectal Surgery
~029	Colposcopy
~030	Community Paediatrics
~233	Congenital Heart Disease

Code	Specialty
~206	Breast Care
~013	Burns & Plastic Surgery
~230	Cardiac Rehabilitation
~016	Cardiology
~017	Cardiophysiology
~018	Cardiothoracic Surgery
~015	Cardio-vascular Disease
~019	Chemical Pathology
~021	Child & Adolescent Psychiatry
~022	Clinical Chemistry
~204	Clinical Genetics
~023	Clinical Immunology
~024	Clinical Neurophysiology
~049	EMI Mental Health
~051	Endocrinology
~052	Endoscopy
~053	ENT
~232	Epileptology
~055	Family Planning
~056	Foetal Medicine
~057	Forensic Medicine
~058	Forensic Psychiatry

Code	Specialty
~233	Continence Advice
~236	COPD
~032	Corneo Plastic Surgery
~033	Coronary Care
~224	Cosmetic Surgery - Non-Surgical
~225	Cosmetic Surgery - Surgical
~247	CT/MRI Cardiology
~034	Cystic Fibrosis
~035	Cytology
~036	Cytopathology
~037	Day Care
~039	Dental Radiology
~040	Dental Surgery
~041	Dentistry
~042	Dermatology
~038	Dermatopathology
~043	Diabetes
~045	Diagnostic Radiology
~046	Drug Research
~248	Echocardiology
~047	Elderly Care
~048	Elderly Psychiatry
~250	Electrophysiology
~079	Imaging
~080	Immunology
~081	Immunopathology
~235	Infection Control & Prevention
~082	Infectious Diseases
~083	Infertility
~243	Interventional Cardiology
~084	Interventional Radiology
~085	IVF

Code	Specialty
~059	Gastric Surgery
~060	Gastroenterology
~216	Gastroenterology Oncology
~061	Gender Identity
~062	General Medicine
~063	General Surgery
~065	Glaucoma
~066	GUM
~200	Gynaecological Clinical Oncology
~199	Gynaecological Medical Oncology
~068	Gynaecological Pathology
~069	Gynaecology
~070	Haematology
~208	Haematology Oncology
~210	Head & Neck Cancer
~244	Heart Failure Cardiology
~071	Hepatobiliary
~072	Hepatology
~073	Histology
~074	Histopathology
~075	HIV
~077	Homoeopathy
~078	ICU/ITU/Critical Care
~108	Neurophysiology
~109	Neuropsychiatry
~110	Neuroradiology
~111	Neurosurgery
~249	Nuclear Cardiology
~112	Nuclear Medicine
~222	Nutrition/Dietetics
~113	Obstetrics
~114	Obstetrics & Gynaecology

Code	Specialty
~086	Laparoscopic Surgery
~087	Learning Disabilities
~088	Limb Fitting
~089	Maxillofacial Surgery
~205	Medical Genetics
~197	Medical Oncology
~090	Medical Physics
~091	Medical Retina Service
~092	Medical Toxicology
~093	Medicine
~094	Medicine & Therapeutics
~096	Mental Health
~097	Metabolic Medicine
~098	Microbiology
~099	Molecular Medicine
~101	Neo-Natal Respiratory Medicine
~102	Neonatology
~103	Nephrology
~217	Neuro Oncology
~106	Neurology
~104	Neuro-Ophthalmology
~105	Neuro-Otology
~107	Neuropathology
~137	Paediatric ITU
~201	Paediatric Medical Oncology
~138	Paediatric Metabolic Medicine
~139	Paediatric Nephrology
~140	Paediatric Neurology
~141	Paediatric Oncology
~142	Paediatric Orthopaedics
~143	Paediatric Plastic Surgery
~144	Paediatric Psychiatry

Code	Specialty
~115	Occupational Health
~117	Ophthalmic Pathology
~118	Ophthalmology
~119	Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery
~120	Oral Medicine
~121	Oral Microbiology
~122	Oral Pathology
~123	Oral Surgery
~124	Orthodontics
~125	Orthopaedics
~126	Osteopathy
~227	Osteoporosis
~127	Otolaryngology
~128	Paediatric A & E
~129	Paediatric Anaesthetics
~130	Paediatric Cardiology
~202	Paediatric Clinical Oncology
~131	Paediatric Dentistry
~132	Paediatric Diabetes
~133	Paediatric Endocrinology
~134	Paediatric ENT
~135	Paediatric Gastroenterology
~136	Paediatric Genetics
~167	Rehabilitation Psychiatry
~168	Renal
~237	Renal Anaemia
~170	Reproductive Health
~172	Respiratory Medicine
~211	Respiratory/Lung Cancer
~173	Restorative Dentistry
~174	Rheumatology
~175	Sexual Health

Code	Specialty
~145	Paediatric Radiology
~146	Paediatric Respiratory
~147	Paediatric Surgery
~148	Paediatric Tropical Medicine
~149	Paediatric Urology
~150	Paediatrics
~151	Paediatrics & Neonates
~152	Pain Management
~154	Palliative Medicine
~226	Parkinson's Disease
~155	Pathology
~156	Periodontology
~157	Plastic Surgery
~251	Preventive Cardiology
~158	Prosthetic Dentistry
~159	Psychiatric Medicine
~160	Psychiatry
~161	Psychogerontology
~162	Psychotherapy
~163	Public Health Medicine
~164	Radiology
~165	Radiotherapy
~166	Rehabilitation Medicine
~209	Urology Oncology
~187	Uro-Neurology
~190	Vascular

Code	Specialty
~176	Special Care
~231	Spinal Injury
~177	Sports Medicine
~228	Stoma Care
~218	Stoma Care Oncology
~178	Strabismus & Paediatrics
~223	Stroke
~179	Substance Abuse
~180	Surgical Oncology
~181	Thoracic Medicine
~182	Thoracic Surgery
~221	Tissue Viability/Wound Care
~245	Transplant Cardiology
~183	Transplantation
~184	Trauma & Orthopaedics
~185	Tropical Medicine
~219	Tuberculosis
~186	Ultrasound
~212	Upper GI - Oncology
~229	Upper GI Surgery
~188	Urodynamics
~234	Urogynaecology
~189	Urology
~191	Venereology
~192	Virology
~193	Vitreo Retinal Service



## List of umbrella specialties

Code	Umbrella Specialty
~U01	Accident & Emergency
~U02	Anaesthetics/ITU
~U03	Audiological Medicine
~U04	Cardiology
~U05	Cardiothoracic Surgery
~U50	Clinical Physiology
~U07	Dermatology
~U08	Endocrinology/Diabetes
~U09	ENT
~U10	Family Planning/Reproductive Medicine
~U11	Forensic
~U12	Gastroenterology
~U13	Gender Identity
~U14	General Medicine
~U15	Genetics
~U16	Geriatric Medicine
~U17	GUM
~U19	Homoeopathy
~U20	Immunopathology/Immunology
~U21	Infectious Diseases/Tropical Medicine
~U22	Mental Health/Learning Disabilities
~U24	Nephrology/Renal
~U25	Neurology/Neuroscience

Code	Umbrella Specialty
~U26	Neurosurgery
~U51	Nutrition/Dietetics
~U28	Obstetrics & Gynaecology
~U29	Oncology
~U30	Ophthalmology
~U31	Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery
~U32	Oral Medicine
~U33	Paediatrics
~U34	Pain Management
~U35	Palliative Medicine
~U36	Pathology
~U37	Pharmacology/Toxicology
~U39	Plastic Surgery
~U40	Public Health/Community Medicine
~U41	Radiology
~U42	Rehabilitation
~U43	Rheumatology
~U52	Special Care
~U45	Surgery
~U46	Thoracic/Respiratory
~U53	Tissue Viability
~U48	Trauma & Orthopaedics
~U49	Urology

## List of specialties by umbrella specialty

Umbrella	Specialty
Accident & Emergency	A & E
	Paediatric A & E
Anaesthetics / ITU	Anaesthetics
	ICU/ITU/Critical Care
	Paediatric Anaesthetics
Audiological Medicine	Audiological Medicine
Cardiology	Adult Congenital Cardiology
	Cardiac Rehabilitation
	Cardiology
	Cardiophysiology
	Cardio-vascular Disease
	Congenital Heart Disease
	Coronary Care
	CT/MRI Cardiology
	Echocardiology
	Electrophysiology
	Heart Failure Cardiology
	Interventional Cardiology
	Nuclear Cardiology
	Paediatric Cardiology
	Preventive Cardiology
	Transplant Cardiology
Cardiothoracic Surgery	Cardiothoracic Surgery
Clinical Physiology	Clinical Physiology
Dermatology	Dermatology
Endocrinology / Diabetes	Diabetes
	Endocrinology
	Metabolic Medicine
	Molecular Medicine
	Paediatric Diabetes

Umbrella	Specialty
Endocrinology / Diabetes	Paediatric Endocrinology
	Paediatric Metabolic Medicine
ENT	ENT
	Otolaryngology
	Paediatric ENT
Family Planning / Reproductive Medicine	Family Planning
	Reproductive Health
Forensic	Forensic Medicine
	Forensic Psychiatry
Gastroenterology	Gastroenterology
	Paediatric Gastroenterology
	Stoma Care
Gender Identity	Gender Identity
General Medicine	Colo-Proctology
	Day Care
	Endoscopy
	General Medicine
	Hepatology
	Medical Physics
	Medicine
	Medicine & Therapeutics
Genetics	Clinical Genetics
	Medical Genetics
	Paediatric Genetics
Geriatric Medicine	Elderly Care
GUM	Continence Advice
	GUM
	HIV
	Sexual Health
	Venereology
Homoeopathy	Homoeopathy
Immunopathology / Immunology	Clinical Immunology

Umbrella	Specialty
Immunopathology / Immunology	Immunology
	Immunopathology
Infectious Diseases / Tropical Medicine	Infectious Diseases
	Paediatric Tropical Medicine
	Tropical Medicine
	Virology
Mental Health / Learning Disabilities	Adult Psychology
	Child & Adolescent Psychiatry
	Elderly Psychiatry
	EMI Mental Health
	Learning Disabilities
	Mental Health
	Paediatric Psychiatry
	Psychiatric Medicine
	Psychiatry
	Psychogerontology
	Psychotherapy
	Rehabilitation Psychiatry
Nephrology / Renal	Substance Abuse
	Nephrology
	Paediatric Nephrology
	Renal
Neurology / Neuroscience	Renal Anaemia
	Clinical Neurophysiology
	Epileptology
	Neuro-Otology
	Neurology
	Neuropathology
	Neurophysiology
	Neuropsychiatry
	Neuroradiology
	Paediatric Neurology

Umbrella	Specialty
Neurology / Neuroscience	Parkinson's Disease
	Stroke
Neurosurgery	Neurosurgery
Obstetrics & Gynaecology	Colposcopy
	Foetal Medicine
	Gynaecology
	Infertility
	IVF
	Obstetrics
	Obstetrics & Gynaecology
Oncology	Bone Marrow – Oncology
	Breast Care
	Clinical Oncology
	Colo-rectal Oncology
	Gastroenterology Oncology
	Gynaecological Clinical Oncology
	Gynaecological Medical Oncology
	Haematology Oncology
	Head & Neck Cancer
	Medical Oncology
	Neuro Oncology
	Paediatric Clinical Oncology
	Paediatric Medical Oncology
	Paediatric Oncology
	Radiotherapy
	Respiratory/Lung Cancer
	Stoma Care Oncology
	Surgical Oncology
	Upper GI - Oncology
	Urology Oncology

Umbrella	Specialty
Ophthalmology	Adnexal Service
	Anterior Segment
	Glaucoma
	Medical Retina Service
	Neuro-Ophthalmology
	Ophthalmology
	Strabismus & Paediatrics
	Vitreo Retinal Service
Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery	Dental Surgery
	Maxillofacial Surgery
	Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery
	Oral Surgery
	Prosthetic Dentistry
	Restorative Dentistry
Oral Medicine	Dentistry
	Oral Medicine
	Orthodontics
	Paediatric Dentistry
	Periodontology
Paediatrics	Ambulatory Paediatrics
	Community Paediatrics
	Neonatology
	Paediatric ITU
	Paediatrics
	Paediatrics & Neonates
Pain Management	Pain Management
Palliative Medicine	Palliative Medicine
Pathology	Bacteriology
	Biochemistry
	Chemical Pathology
	Clinical Chemistry
	Cytology

Umbrella	Specialty
Pathology	Cytopathology
	Dermatopathology
	Gynaecological Pathology
	Haematology
	Histology
	Histopathology
	Microbiology
	Ophthalmic Pathology
	Oral Pathology
	Pathology
Pharmacology / Toxicology	Clinical Pharmacology
	Drug Research
	Medical Toxicology
Plastic Surgery	Burns & Plastic Surgery
	Cosmetic Surgery - Non-Surgical
	Cosmetic Surgery – Surgical
	Paediatric Plastic Surgery
	Plastic Surgery
Public Health / Community Medicine	Infection Control & Prevention
	Occupational Health
	Public Health Medicine
Radiology	Dental Radiology
	Diagnostic Radiology
	Imaging
	Interventional Radiology
	Nuclear Medicine
	Paediatric Radiology
	Radiology
	Ultrasound
Rehabilitation	Rehabilitation Medicine
Rheumatology	Osteoporosis
	Rheumatology

Umbrella	Specialty
Special Care	Special Care
Surgery	Colo-Rectal Surgery
	Gastric Surgery
	General Surgery
	Hepatobiliary
	Laparoscopic Surgery
	Paediatric Surgery
	Thoracic Surgery
	Transplantation
	Upper GI Surgery
	Vascular
Thoracic / Respiratory	Asthma
	COPD
	Cystic Fibrosis
	Neo-Natal Respiratory Medicine
	Paediatric Respiratory
	Respiratory Medicine
	Thoracic Medicine
	Tuberculosis
Tissue Viability/Wound Care	Tissue Viability
Trauma & Orthopaedics	Limb Fitting
	Orthopaedics
	Osteopathy
	Paediatric Orthopaedics
	Spinal Injury
	Sports Medicine
	Trauma & Orthopaedics
Urology	Andrology
	Paediatric Urology
	Uro-Neurology
	Urodynamics
	Urogynaecology



Umbrella	Specialty
Urology	Urology
	Uro-Neurology

## Grade Codes and descriptions

Grade	Description
600	Registrar (Republic of Ireland only)
612	Associate Specialist
613	Clinical Assistant
622	Consultant
662	Professor
663	Specialty Registrar (Republic of Ireland)
675	Staff Grade
676	Dental Officer
692	Specialist Registrar

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