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## How many theatre nurses and operating department practitioners are there in your Trust?

I am currently writing a paper for publication and would like to know how many registered Operating Department Practitioners and Theatre Nurses there were registered and working with you in October 2022 (or around that time)?

We have a number of Theatres which are located on various sites

RVH Theatres – Royal Victoria Hospital  
 BCH Theatres – Belfast City Hospital  
 MIH Theatres – Mater Infirmorum Hospital  
 MPH Theatres – Musgrave Park Hospital  
 Burns Theatres  
 RBHSC Theatres – Royal Belfast Hospital for Sick Children  
 RMJH & SOD Theatres – Royal Maternity Jubilee Hospital and School of Dentistry

This is the staff for **Theatres in RVH, BCH and MIH**, this does not include recovery staffing.

ODP	01/10/2022	14/10/2022	31/10/2022	Average
RVH	1	1	1	1
MIH	0	0	0	0
BCH	0	0	0	0
Total	1	1	1	1

RN	01/10/2022	14/10/2022	31/10/2022	Average
RVH	104	107	112	108
MIH	21	22	24	22
BCH	48	50	50	33
Total	173	179	186	163

This is the nursing staff in Theatres in RBHSC. There are no Operating Department Practitioners in **Children's theatres**.

RN	October 2022	
RN	54 headcount	46.94 wte

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**Theatres in RJMS**

There are zero registered Operating Department Practitioners and Theatre Nurses in RJMS theatres that were registered and working in October 2022

**Theatres in SOD**

There are seven registered Theatre Nurses in SOD DPU theatres that were registered and working in October 2022

**Burns Theatre**

We are funded for 5 registrants  
There are 4 nurses in post and no ODP's

**MPH Theatres**

Theatres	01/10/2022	14/10/2022	31/10/2022
ODP	2	2	2
RN	42	45	44