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Q1 How many clinical coders are employed by the Trust?

A1 9.1

Q2 Who is responsible for the clinical coding Team? (i.e Who is the Clinical Coding Manager)

A2 [Suzanne Williams, Clinical Coding Manager](#)

Q3 Do you have an NHS England approved auditor?

A3 Yes

Q4 Do you have an NHS England approved trainer?

A4 Yes

Q5 What encoder software is used by the clinical coding team?

A5 3M

Q6 What directorate does clinical coding sit under?

A6 [iDigital](#)

Q7 What does the Trust spend on external coding support per year a) contractors b) other outsourced coding support c) coding training d) coding audit

A7 a) Zero
b) Zero
c) £2,470 plus vat
d) Zero

Q8 What is the current coding backlog?

A8 80