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Dear

INFORMATION REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

You asked:

- 1) In the last 60 days how many hours has your Trust utilised Thornbury Nursing Services for agency nurses?**

We do not use Thornbury Nursing Services for agency nurses.

- 2) In the last 60 days has your Trust utilised any other off frame work providers for agency nurses, if yes, please name these providers?**

Please see the response below.

- 3) In the last 60 days which wards or departments were these TNS requests for?**

Please see the response below.

- 4) How many long term lines of work or block bookings are currently being supplied by off framework suppliers?**

Please see the response below.

- 5) Which wards are these off framework suppliers providing block booking or long terms of work on?**

Please see the response below.

6) Can you confirm in the last 60 day which wards/ departments have been most reliant on off framework usage?

We do not use any off framework agencies for nursing.

I trust that this information is helpful to you, however if you are not entirely satisfied with this response please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department on 01257 488271. If we do not hear from you within 28 days we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,



Andrew Foster
Chief Executive

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