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Date Received: 9th May 2025

Response Due: 9th June 2025

Date: 29th May 2025

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 9th May 2025, I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that we do hold the information you have requested. A response to each part of your request is provided below.

In your request you asked:

Under the freedom of information act, please can you provide me with a breakdown of spend on agency nurses between Jan 1st to Dec 31st 2024. And Jan 1st 2025 to April 30th 2025.

- Number of shifts invoiced by each provider the Trust used for agency nursing January 1st – December 31st 2024 = 515 shifts through NHS Professionals. January 1st – April 30th 2025 = 302 shifts through NHS Professionals.
- 2. Framework spend on agency nursing broken down to spend per Framework provider

| January 1 st – December 31 st 2024 | Agency Name | Agency Cost |
|--|------------------------|-------------|
| | Your World Recruitment | £97,661 |
| | Locum Vision | £65,473 |
| | First Point | £16,500 |
| | Pulse | £1,126 |
| | Pertemps Recruitment | £252 |
| | Keystone Healthcare | £205 |
| January 1 st – April 30 th 2025 | Your World Recruitment | £58,980 |
| | Locum Vision | £26,768 |
| | First Point | £13,429 |
| | Pulse | £231 |

3. Off-framework spend on agency nursing broken down to spend per off-framework provider No off-framework usage.

Please note: Your questions have been answered with assistance from NHS Professionals.

If you are not entirely satisfied with this response, please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department via the email address provided. If we do not hear from you within 40 days, we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,

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Kelly Knowles Operational Director of Finance

PLEASE NOTE:

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you should write to: Information Governance Department, Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust, Suite 9, Buckingham Row, Brick Kiln Lane, Wigan, WN1 1XX.

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision at:

The Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire, SK9 5AF

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