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Response Due: 26th September 2025

Date: 26th September 2025

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 29th August 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:

I am writing to make a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Please could you provide the following information for the period January 2025 to July 2025:

- 1. The Trust's total spend on agency staffing, broken down by staff group (Nursing, Allied Health Professionals, Doctors/Medical, Admin, and Non-Clinical), by month, and by agency or Managed Service Provider (MSP).**

Please see the attached.

- 2. A list of all agencies, MSPs, and the Trust's Preferred Supplier List (PSL) used during this period, broken down by staff group (Nursing, AHPs, Doctors, Admin, Non-Clinical).**

Please see the attached.

- 3. The Trust's spend on agency staffing via framework suppliers vs off-framework suppliers, broken down by staff group.**

Please see the attached. There was no off-framework spend.

- 4. The Trust's spend on international recruitment during this period, including:**

- **Total spend (by month if possible)**
- **Number of recruits by role (e.g. Nursing, AHPs, Doctors, Admin, Non-Clinical)**

There was no spend during this time period.

Please note: Questions 1-3 have been answered with assistance from NHS Professionals and Liaison Group.

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,



Juliette Tait
Chief People Officer

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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
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