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Ref: FOI/2025/11060

Date Received: 12th September 2025

Response Due: 10th October 2025

Date: 29th September 2025

## Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 12<sup>th</sup> September 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:

1. Please confirm if you operate a vendor management system for agency staff such as an MSP/neutral vendor/master vendor etc.

## If so, please can you name the below:

- Company name = Liaison.
- Contract start and end date = Start date 28/03/2022 and end date 28/03/2026.
- Framework utilised = HTE.
- Healthcare specialty used for, EG Doctors/Nursing/AHP/HSS/NMNC = Doctors.
- Do you utilise a direct engagement model and the name of the model, eg Tempre/Own DE model etc = TempRE.
- 2. Please confirm if you operate a vendor management system for bank staff.

## If so, please can you name the below:

- Company name = Liaison
- Contract start and end date = Start date 28/03/2022 and end date 28/03/2026.
- **Framework utilised** = No framework for bank staff as they are governed by the NHS T&C's and their employment contract.
- Healthcare specialty used for, EG Doctors/Nursing/AHP/HSS/NMNC = Doctors.
- Company name = NHS Professionals.
- Contract start and end date = Start date 01/04/2021 and end date 31/03/2026.

- Framework utilised = HTE.
- **Healthcare specialty used for, EG Doctors/Nursing/AHP/HSS/NMNC** = Nursing and Midwifery, Allied Health Professionals, Healthcare Scientists, Estates and Facilities, Admin and Clerical.

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,

Tabitha Gardner Chief Finance Officer

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## 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

Helpline number: 0303 123 111