

## **FOI 0121/2021 Request**

### **1.(a) Who is the head of procurement at Birmingham and Solihull mental health trust responsible for approving Nursing agency usage?**

The Trust is unable to provide a response to this question.

This is because the requested information pertains to personal information which the Trust does not routinely release for staff members within a role that is under a Band 8c.

The Trust therefore, rely on exemption Section 40 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to deny this aspect of your request.

### **(b) Secondly, who is the temporary / flexible staffing lead responsible for the management of this service at Birmingham and Solihull mental health trust?**

The Trust is unable to provide a response to this question.

This is because the requested information pertains to personal information which the Trust does not routinely release for staff members within a role that is under a Band 8c.

The Trust therefore, rely on exemption Section 40 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to deny this aspect of your request.

### **2. Please can you provide the contact number and email address in relation to both question 1 (a) and (b)**

Please refer to the response provided for question 1a and 1b.

### **3. Have you used Off-framework nursing agency staff in the last 7 months at Birmingham and Solihull mental health trust?**

None.

### **4. How much was your Off-Framework agency spend for each of the following staff groups between August 2020 – March 2021 (a) RGN's (b) RCN's (c) RN's and (d) RMN (e) Specialist RN (ITU) (f) Specialist RN (A&E)**

Please refer to the response provided for question 3.

### **5. Following the same breakdown of staff groups in Question 3, how many Off-framework shifts have been unfilled between January 2021 – July 2021?**

Please refer to the response provided for question 3.