FOI 0490/2024 Response

FOI Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, could you please provide me with the following information in relation to temporary agency staffing.

1. Neutral Vend (NV) or Master Vend (MV) Agency Supplier:

i. Medical

- Name of the NV or MV agency supplier
- Expiry date of contract with the NV or MV agency supplier?

ii. Allied Health Professionals (AHPs)

- Name of the NV or MV agency supplier
- Expiry date of contract with the NV or MV agency supplier

iii. Nursing

- Name of the NV or MV agency supplier
- Expiry date of contract with the NV or MV agency supplier

iv. Non-Medical, Non-Clinical (NMNC)

- Name of the NV or MV agency supplier
- Expiry date of contract with the NV or MV agency supplier

The Trust do not use Neutral Vend (NV) or Master Vend (MV) Agency Supplier

2. Direct Engagement (DE):

i. Medical

- Name of the DE provider
- Expiry date of contract with the DE provider
- % of DE currently achieved

ii. Allied Health Professionals (AHPs)

- Name of the DE provider
- Expiry date of contract with the DE provider
- % of DE currently achieved

iii. Non-Medical, Non-Clinical (NMNC)

- Name of the DE provider
- Expiry date of contract with the DE provider
- % of DE currently achieved

The Trust do not use Direct Engagement (DE).

- 3. Financial Year 2022/2023 (or most recent if available) spend figures on temporary agency staffing (worker pay & agency commission only):
- i. Medical
- ii. Allied Health Professionals (AHPs)
- iii. Nursing
- iv. Non-Medical, Non-Clinical (NMNC)

Agency Type	2223 Costs
AGENCY - HEALTH CARE SCIENTIST	109,075.65
AGENCY - STT STAFF	59,688.03
AGENCY ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIO	44,860.97
AGENCY CAREER/STAFF GRADES	2,626,798.86
AGENCY CONSULTANTS	3,132,739.89
AGENCY NON MED NON CLINICAL	434,916.85
AGENCY REGISTERED NURSES	1,453,472.38
AGENCY SUPPORT TO NURSING STAF	281,102.49
Grand Total	8,142,655.12

4. Financial Year 2022/2023 - number of hours worked by temporary agency workers:

i. Medical

Medical & Dental 62151 hrs from 01.04.22-31.03.23

ii. Allied Health Professionals (AHPs)

AHPS - total hrs 9892.33

iii. Nursing

HCA - 18,124.98 hrs from 01.04.22-31.03.23

RMN - 44,568.57hrs hrs from 01.04.22-31.03.23

iv. Non-Medical, Non-Clinical (NMNC)

Admin – 9,675.50

- 5. Does the Trust or Health Board currently operate a Non-Medical Non-Clinical Staff Bank?
 - If yes, what is the name of the provider?
 - Expiry Date of the contract with the provider

All bank staff are operated internally, this is not out sourced.

- 6. Does the Trust or Health Board utilise an Insourcing Contracting provider in place?
 - If yes, what is the name of the provider?
 - Expiry Date of the contract with the provider

Please note that we do not have a insourcing contracting provider.

7. Contact responsible for temporary agency staffing at the Trust or Health Board:

i. Workforce Lead

- Name
- Job Title

ii. Procurement Lead

- Name
- Job Title

iii. Finance Lead

- Name
- Job Title

The Trust is unable to provide a response to your query.

This is because we do not routinely share staff member's personal information for those below a band 8c role.

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