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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000 - Request for Information Reference: Agency Information

I am writing in response to your request for information under the FOI 2000.

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.

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FOI Request / Question	Question Response	Is there an exemption?	Exemption	Exemption Details
1. Please advise how many nursing and healthcare assistant agency staffing shifts (not including insourcing requests) were cascaded to all agencies, by month for January 2023 to December and by month for January to April 2024?	Zero (0) HCA Nursing shifts filled (only filled data is retained) Apr 23 = 1,009 May 23 = 763 Jun 23 = 969 Jul 23 = 917 Aug 23 = 1,072 Sep 23 = 921 Oct 23 = 800 Nov 23 = 628 Dec 23 = 646 Jan 24 = 676 Feb 24 = 740 Mar 24 = 732 Apr 24 = 457 May 24 = 463			
2. Please advise how many nursing and healthcare assistant agency staffing shifts (not including insourcing) were filled by all agencies, by month for January 2023 to December and by month for January to April 2024?	Please see Q1			
3. Please advise how many nursing and healthcare assistant agency shifts were filled by framework approved agencies, by month for January 2023 to December and by month for January to April 2024?	Q1 deduct Q4			
4. Please advise how many nursing and healthcare assistant agency shifts were filled by off-framework approved agencies, by month for January 2023 to December and by month for January to April 2024?	Zero (0) HCA Nursing shifts filled (only filled data is retained) Apr 23 = 26 May 23 = 2 Jun 23 = 0 Jul 23 = 0			

	Aug 23 = 0 Sep 23 = 1 Oct 23 = 1 Nov 23 = 0 Dec 23 = 2 Jan 24 = 1 Feb 24 = 1 Mar 24 = 0 Apr 24 = 1 May 24 = 0			
5. Please advise which on-framework agencies provided nursing and healthcare assistants to the Trust between January 2023 and April 2024?	Zero (0) HCA Altrix Care Providers Hallam Medical ID Medical Interact Medical Nursing Personnel Pulse TXM Healthcare Your World Nursing			

I trust this information answers your request. Should you have any further enquiries or queries about this response please do not hesitate to contact me. However, if you are unhappy with the way in which your request has been handled, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to: Sally Brook Shanahan, Director of Corporate Affairs, King's Mill Hospital, Mansfield Road, Sutton in Ashfield, Nottinghamshire, NG17 4JL or email sally.brookshanahan@nhs.net.

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Yours faithfully

Information Governance Team

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