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Dear

Freedom of Information Act Request

I am writing in response to your e-mail of the 2nd November 2024. Your request has been processed using the Trust's procedures for the disclosure of information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000).

Requested information:

For all psychiatry grades (e.g. Consultant, SAS) and all sub-specialties (e.g. General Adult, Old Age, CAMHS) for the periods 2021/22, 2022/23, 2023/2024 and April to September 2024:

1. Please could you provide the data for total spend, for each locum agency used, divided between on and off framework.

Please see Appendix 1 attached.

2. Please confirm the total number of agency locum psychiatrists working per month, for each agency supplier divided between on and off framework.

Please see Appendix 2 (sheet 1) attached.

3. Please confirm the total number of hours worked by agency locum psychiatrists per month, for each agency supplier divided between on and off framework.

Please see Appendix 2 (sheet 2) attached.

4. Please confirm the total number of unfilled vacancies (excluding locum filled posts) per month. **There were no unfilled vacancies.**

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review of the management of your request. 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: Dr Buki Adeyemo, Chief Executive, North Staffordshire Combined Healthcare Trust, Trust Headquarters, Lawton House, Bellringer Road, Trentham, ST4 8HH. If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office,
Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely



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	21/22	22/23	23/24	24/25 M1-6
	£000's	£000's	£000's	£000's
On Framework:	2,490	2,569	2,147	1,238
Athona Limited	276	349	328	126
CAMHS Professionals Limited	162	311	292	125
Global Medics Ltd	350	320	407	213
ID Medical	196	404	257	116
Locum People	25	117	122	83
Locum Vision	-	-	186	76
NC Healthcare	-	-	-	10
Pulse Healthcare Ltd	15	-	83	172
RIG Medial Recruit Ltd	-	225	302	267
Unite Medical Limited	-	24	35	50
Doctors On Call	8	-	-	-
Mayday Healthcare Limited	417	206	125	-
Medacs Healthcare	2	-	-	-
Medsol Healthcare Services Ltd	416	300	-	-
Interact Medical	589	301	4	-
Sensible Staffing	-	2	-	-
Sanctuary Personnel Ltd	-	-	7	-
Fresh Medical	34	-	-	-
PriceWaterhouseCoopers	-	9	-	-
Off framework	0	0	0	-
Totals	2,490	2,569	2,147	1,238

Q2-Total number of Agency locum psychiatrists

Agency	31/10/2022	30/11/2022	31/12/2022	31/01/2023	28/02/2023	31/03/2023	30/04/2023	31/05/2023	30/06/2023	31/07/2023	31/08/2023	30/09/2023	31/10/2023	30/11/2023	31/12/2023	31/01/2024	29/02/2024	31/03/2024	30/04/2024	31/05/2024	30/06/2024	31/07/2024	31/08/2024	30/09/2024	31/10/2024	30/11/2024	Grand Total
Athona Limited	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	3	3	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3
CAMHS Professionals Limited	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1
Global Medics Ltd	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Holt Doctors Limited t/a Holt Nursing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
ID Medical	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3
InterAct Medical	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Locum People	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Locum Vision	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Mayday Healthcare Limited	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Medsol Healthcare Services Ltd	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
NC Healthcare	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Pulse Healthcare Ltd	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	2
RIG Medical Recruit Limited t/a CPL																											
UK Healthcare NEW	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	3
Sanctuary Personnel Ltd	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Unite Medical Limited	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	2
Grand Total	12	12	12	12	11	12	11	10	8	10	11	10	9	10	10	11	12	13	14	15	12	11	11	10	9	8	25

Q3- Total number of hours

Agency	31/10/2022	30/11/2022	31/12/2022	31/01/2023	28/02/2023	31/03/2023	30/04/2023	31/05/2023	30/06/2023	31/07/2023	31/08/2023	30/09/2023	31/10/2023	30/11/2023	31/12/2023	31/01/2024	29/02/2024	31/03/2024	30/04/2024	31/05/2024	30/06/2024	31/07/2024	31/08/2024	30/09/2024	31/10/2024	30/11/2024	Grand Total	
Athona Limited Total	80	160	160	40	128	120	88	80	72	184	304	470	226	302	200	136	160	176	184	112	176	160	40	184	152	80	4174	
CAMHS Professionals Limited Total	80	158.5	200	140	160	120	160	160	190	160	120	180	160	160	150	150	160	200	200	120	200	160	160	80	0	0	3728.5	
Global Medics Ltd Total	104	279.5	344.5	248	296	400	280	224	336	312	320	336	312	260	400	248	248	400	246	257	373	283	275.5	281	313.5	152	7529	
Holt Doctors Limited t/a Holt Nursing Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	0	19	
ID Medical Total	155	232.5	390	216	320	312	248	192	192	160	152	112	120	160	200	104	160	176	184	112	152	80	160	192	40	8.5	4530	
InterAct Medical Total	80	232.5	360	164.5	160	160	112	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1269	
Locum People Total	75	142.5	118.5	164	45	154	120	124.5	120	105	140.5	153	141	96.5	183.5	105.5	107.5	90	155.5	103.5	150	147	115.5	127	135	73.5	3193	
Locum Vision Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	160	264	324	283	368	112	72	0	0	0	0	1583	
Mayday Healthcare Limited Total	56	8	158	129	112	140	112	112	140	112	84	140	112	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1443	
Medsol Healthcare Services Ltd Total	80	144	184	136	160	120	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	824	
NC Healthcare Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	180	-30	0	0	0	0	0	0	150	
Pulse Healthcare Ltd Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	224	112	112	140	140	137.5	329	248	164	140	112	56	1914.5
RIG MEDICAL RECRUIT LIMITED t/a CPL UK Healthcare NEW Total	80	160	200	96	200	112	176	144	192	160	128	192	160	256	269.5	168	245.25	372	463	174	384	204	288	296	295	139	5553.75	
Sanctuary Personnel Ltd Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	45	7.5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52.5	
Unite Medical Limited Total	0	0	0	0	0	100	159	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	80	104	32	160	136	120	128	40	0	0	1099	
Grand Total	790	1517.5	2115	1333.5	1581	1738	1455	1076.5	1242	1238	1256	1583	1231	1262.5	1787	1287.5	1596.75	1941	2152.5	1258	1972	1402	1331	1340	1066.5	509	37062.25	