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Dear

Freedom of Information Act Request

I am writing in response to your e-mail of the 9th 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:

In relation to your supply of locum Psychiatrists for each grade and sub-specialty per month, please could you provide the answers to the requests below for the following periods?

- i. Financial year 2022/2023
 - ii. Financial year 2023/2024
 - iii. April - September 2024
1. Please confirm the total number of vacancy requirements given out to framework and non-framework agencies for each agency. **Please see Appendix 1 attached for framework agencies.**
For off framework bookings we can confirm that for the current financial year, the answer is zero. We do not have information pre-April 2024 available for reporting.
 2. Please confirm the total number of shifts given out to framework and non-framework agencies for each agency.
 3. Please confirm the total number of agency locum doctors working per month, for each agency supplier divided between on and off framework.
For questions 2 and 3 please see Appendix 1 attached.
 4. Please confirm the total number of hours worked by agency locum doctors per month, for each agency supplier divided between on and off framework. **We do not have the hourly breakdown, but each shift is generally 8 hours.**
 5. Please confirm the total number of unfilled vacancies (excluding locum filled posts) per month. **There were no unfilled vacancies for these reporting periods.**

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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Category	Item	Value	Unit	Notes
Category 1	Item 1.1	100	kg	
Category 1	Item 1.2	200	kg	
Category 1	Item 1.3	300	kg	
Category 1	Item 1.4	400	kg	
Category 1	Item 1.5	500	kg	
Category 1	Item 1.6	600	kg	
Category 1	Item 1.7	700	kg	
Category 1	Item 1.8	800	kg	
Category 1	Item 1.9	900	kg	
Category 1	Item 1.10	1000	kg	
Category 2	Item 2.1	100	kg	
Category 2	Item 2.2	200	kg	
Category 2	Item 2.3	300	kg	
Category 2	Item 2.4	400	kg	
Category 2	Item 2.5	500	kg	
Category 2	Item 2.6	600	kg	
Category 2	Item 2.7	700	kg	
Category 2	Item 2.8	800	kg	
Category 2	Item 2.9	900	kg	
Category 2	Item 2.10	1000	kg	
Category 3	Item 3.1	100	kg	
Category 3	Item 3.2	200	kg	
Category 3	Item 3.3	300	kg	
Category 3	Item 3.4	400	kg	
Category 3	Item 3.5	500	kg	
Category 3	Item 3.6	600	kg	
Category 3	Item 3.7	700	kg	
Category 3	Item 3.8	800	kg	
Category 3	Item 3.9	900	kg	
Category 3	Item 3.10	1000	kg	
Category 4	Item 4.1	100	kg	
Category 4	Item 4.2	200	kg	
Category 4	Item 4.3	300	kg	
Category 4	Item 4.4	400	kg	
Category 4	Item 4.5	500	kg	
Category 4	Item 4.6	600	kg	
Category 4	Item 4.7	700	kg	
Category 4	Item 4.8	800	kg	
Category 4	Item 4.9	900	kg	
Category 4	Item 4.10	1000	kg	
Category 5	Item 5.1	100	kg	
Category 5	Item 5.2	200	kg	
Category 5	Item 5.3	300	kg	
Category 5	Item 5.4	400	kg	
Category 5	Item 5.5	500	kg	
Category 5	Item 5.6	600	kg	
Category 5	Item 5.7	700	kg	
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Sum of Counter	Placement Start Month																							
Supplier	Candidate	Oct-22	Nov-22	Mar-23	Apr-23	Jun-23	Jul-23	Aug-23	Sep-23	Oct-23	Nov-23	Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24	Apr-24	May-24	Jun-24	Jul-24	Aug-24	Sep-24	Oct-24	Nov-24	Dec-24	Grand Total
Athona Limited	Doctor 1	1	1						1															3
Athona Limited	Doctor 2							1	1															2
Athona Limited	Doctor 3						1		1								1							4
CAMHS Professionals Limited	Doctor 4	1	1					1	1							1	1			1				6
Global Medics Ltd	Doctor 5	1						1	1							1	1							5
Global Medics Ltd	Doctor 6	1	1						1							1	1							5
Holt Doctors Limited t/a Holt Nursing	Doctor 7																					1	1	2
Holt Doctors Limited t/a Holt Nursing	Doctor 8																			1				1
ID Medical	Doctor 9	1	1																					2
ID Medical	Doctor 10	1	1					1	1								1							5
ID Medical	Doctor 11																				1			1
ID Medical	Doctor 12																					1		1
ID Medical	Doctor 13																	1	1	1	1	1		5
ID Medical	Doctor 14																	1				1		3
InterAct Medical	Doctor 15	1	1																					2
InterAct Medical	Doctor 16	1	1																					2
Locum People	Doctor 17	1	1							1							1							4
Locum Vision	Doctor 18											1												1
Locum Vision	Doctor 19										1													1
Mayday Healthcare Limited	Doctor 20	1																						1
Medsol Healthcare Services Ltd	Doctor 21	1																						1
NC Healthcare	Doctor 22													1										1
Pulse Healthcare Ltd	Doctor 23									1								1						2
Pulse Healthcare Ltd	Doctor 24																1	1						2
RIG MEDICAL RECRUIT LIMITED t/a CPL UK Healthc	Doctor 25	1				1			1								1	1						5
RIG MEDICAL RECRUIT LIMITED t/a CPL UK Healthc	Doctor 26									1														1
RIG MEDICAL RECRUIT LIMITED t/a CPL UK Healthc	Doctor 27												1				1	1						3
Sanctuary Personnel Ltd	Doctor 28						1																	1
Unite Medical Limited	Doctor 29			1	1																			2
Unite Medical Limited	Doctor 30											1			1		1							3
Grand Total	Doctor 31	12	8	1	1	1	2	4	8	3	1	2	1	1	1	6	11	2	1	3	3	4	1	77