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Thank you for your request concerning Agency Spend and we apologise for the prolonged delay in responding to your request.

Your request has been considered and processed in accordance with the requirements of the Freedom of Information (FOI) Act 2000.

Please could I request the following information for financial year 2018/2019 and 2019/2020 current figures:

- 1. Spend in £ by staff groups below of permanent spend on permanent recruitment placed via an agency?**

We are unable to provide this breakdown because we cannot distinguish between the spend on agency temporary staff and agency permanent recruitment.

- 2. Who are the responsible hiring managers for permanent recruitment of the above staffing groups?**

There is not one individual responsible for permanent recruitment.

- 3. Which agencies does the trust currently use and what fee's / percentage of salary do they charge per placement?**

Permanent recruitment would be through NHS Jobs.

- 4. Number of current open vacancies across the above staffing groups**

	FTE Vacancies
Medical Staffing	8.15
Nursing	151.65
Allied Health Professionals	21.85

Should you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Please find enclosed an information sheet regarding copyright protection and the Trust's complaints procedure in the event that you are not satisfied with the response.

Yours sincerely

Sue Smith

Sue Smith
Information Rights Officer

Enc: Copyright Protection and Complaints Procedure Information Leaflet.

If you would like to complete a short survey in relation to your Freedom of Information request please scan the QR code below or click [here](#).

