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Thank you for your request concerning Bank Forecasts.

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

I would like to request the following information at NHS UK trusts level:

- 1. Please quantify Agency recruitment splits (total spending and total WTE numbers) for medical, nursing and other employees (Forecasts 2019/20 and 2018/2019, and actuals 2018/19, 2017/2018, and 2016/2017)**
- 2. Please quantify Bank recruitment splits (total spending and total WTE numbers) for medical, nursing and other employees (Forecasts 2019/20 and 2018/2019, and actuals 2018/19, 2017/2018, and 2016/2017)**

We are unable to provide the requested quarterly spend breakdown within the time limit as we do not report in this detail on these categories¹. To provide this spend would involve running 160 different reports. However, under Section 16 – Duty to provide advice and assistance we are able to provide the overall annual spend figure. Please Note: we do not report on forecast. However, we have provided you with the actual spend up to October 2020.

Please see attached excel spreadsheet as requested.

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](#).



¹ Section 12 - Cost of compliance exceeds the appropriate limit has been applied