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Thank you for your request concerning Nursing Staff And Agency Spend.

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

1. What was your overall annual expenditure on nursing staff salaries for the most recent financial year available?

This information is published in our Annual Reports¹. Please follow this link to the 2019/20 report where you can find this information under the Staffing Report. The 2020/21 Annual Reports will be published following ratification at our AGM².

2. For the same year, what was your overall expenditure on external agencies providing nurses to work within the Trust?

	2019 / 20 Agency Spend £
Nursing, Midwifery & Health Visitors	3,671,000

3. For the same year can you tell me how many shifts were covered by Agency nurses and what proportion of overall shifts that is?

9,514 shifts were covered by Agency out of 657,235.

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

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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 21 – Information is available through other means

² Section 22 - - Information intended for future publication