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Thank you for your request concerning agency nursing recruitment.

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

1. **Who is the head of procurement responsible for approving Nursing agency usage?**
 - a. **Secondly, who is the temporary / flexible staffing lead responsible for the management of this service?**
 - b. **Please can you provide the contact number and email address in relation to both question 1 (a) and (b)**

The purpose of the Freedom of Information is to provide public access to information held by public authorities, not to be a directory enquiry service.

Our procurement department is not responsible for recruitment.

2. **Have you used Off-framework nursing agency staff in the last 3 months?**

No

3. **How much was your Off-Framework agency spend for each of the following staff groups between 31st January 2023 – 31st July 2023 (a) RGN's (b) Registered Midwives (c) RMN's (d) ITU Nurses (e) A&E Nurses (f) Community psychiatric nurses**

Not applicable; we do not work off-framework.

4. **Following the same breakdown of staff groups in Question 3, how many Off-framework shifts have been unfilled between 31st January 2023 – 31st July 2023**

Not applicable, please see the answer to question 3.

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](#).

