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Dear Sir or Madam,

Ref: FOI 2643

Thank you for your recent Freedom of Information request regarding the effects of the recent NHS improvement rate caps.

The Trust can provide the following information:

Medical Locums

1. **What was your agency spending on medical locums during 2015/2016?** £1,873,927
2. **Do you source your locums via:**
 - o Mastervend
 - o **Managed service – 24/7 time**
 - o Preferred supplier list
 - o **Other (please state) – Agencies**
3. **Which framework do you use to source your medical locums?** LPP, CCS, NHS/LA/University
4. **Are you working to the NHS Improvement rate caps?** Yes
5. **Do you use direct engagement (VAT mitigation)?** Yes

AHP/HSS Staff Groups

6. **What was your spend on agency AHP and HSS during 2015/2016?** £1,509,435
7. **Which framework do you use to source your agency workers in this area?** LPP, CCS, NHS/LA/University
8. **Are you working to the NHS Improvement rate caps?** Yes

Other staff groups

9. **What was your agency spending on non-clinical staff (not doctors, nurses, HSS or AHP staff) during 2015/2016?** £3,068,088
10. **Which framework do you use to source these staff?** LPP, CCS, NHS/LA/University
11. **Which staff groups do you use (eg, admin and clerical, ancillary, IT staff, senior manager interim staff, VSM interims)** All
12. **Are you working to the NHS Improvement rate caps?** Yes

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Yours sincerely

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