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Dear,

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I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI 240213.

You requested the following information, please see our response below:

**1. Neutral Vend (NV) or Master Vend (MV) Agency Supplier:**

**i. Medical**

- Name of the NV or MV agency supplier
- Expiry date of contract with the NV or MV agency supplier?

**ii. Allied Health Professionals (AHPs)**

- Name of the NV or MV agency supplier
- Expiry date of contract with the NV or MV agency supplier

**iii. Nursing**

- Name of the NV or MV agency supplier
- Expiry date of contract with the NV or MV agency supplier

**iv. Non-Medical, Non-Clinical (NMNC)**

- Name of the NV or MV agency supplier
- Expiry date of contract with the NV or MV agency supplier

**2. Direct Engagement (DE):**

**i. Medical**

- Name of the DE provider
- Expiry date of contract with the DE provider
- % of DE currently achieved

**ii. Allied Health Professionals (AHPs)**

- Name of the DE provider
- Expiry date of contract with the DE provider
- % of DE currently achieved

**iii. Non-Medical, Non-Clinical (NMNC)**

- Name of the DE provider
- Expiry date of contract with the DE provider
- % of DE currently achieved

3. Financial Year 2022/2023 (or most recent if available) - spend figures on temporary agency staffing – (worker pay & agency commission only):

**i. Medical**

**ii. Allied Health Professionals (AHPs)**

**iii. Nursing**

**iv. Non-Medical, Non-Clinical (NMNC)**

4. Financial Year 2022/2023 - number of hours worked by temporary agency workers:

**i. Medical**

**ii. Allied Health Professionals (AHPs)**

**iii. Nursing**

**iv. Non-Medical, Non-Clinical (NMNC)**

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5. Does the Trust or Health Board currently operate a Non-Medical Non-Clinical Staff Bank?

- If yes, what is the name of the provider?
- Expiry Date of the contract with the provider

6. Does the Trust or Health Board utilise an Insourcing Contracting provider in place?

- If yes, what is the name of the provider?
- Expiry Date of the contract with the provider

SECAmb uses NHS Framework agencies and not a preferred supplier list

7. Contact responsible for temporary agency staffing at the Trust or Health Board:

**i. Workforce Lead**

**- Name**

This is the personal information of a third-party. We are not disclosing this information under the FOI Act section 40(2). This would contravene the data protection principles.

**- Job Title**

Workforce Manager

## **ii. Procurement Lead**

- **Name**

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- **Job Title**

Procurement Manager

## **iii. Finance Lead**

- **Name**

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- **Job Title**

Finance Manager

I hope you find this information of some assistance.

If for any reason you are dissatisfied with our response, kindly in the first instance contact Caroline Smart, Head of Information Governance via the following email address:

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Yours sincerely

**Freedom of Information Coordinator  
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