

Trust Headquarters
 Russell's Hall Hospital
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 West Midlands
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Date: 1ST February 2024

Address / Email:

Dear

Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Request

From 1st November 2023 until 31st December 2023 how many shifts has your Trust or Health Board utilised Thornbury Nursing services for?

Within this same time frame (1st November 2023 until 31st December 2023) please list all wards or departments that utilised this agency and display the number of shifts in each.

Within this same time frame (1st November 2023 until 31st December 2023) please list all other off contract agencies utilised by the Trust or Health Board for nursing and break down a list of each ward or department and total number of shifts for each off-contract agency.

Please list any suppliers with a general Band 5-day charge rate of over £50 per hour that have been booked for the Trust or Health Board in this time period (01/11/2023- 31/12/2023)

Please list any suppliers with a general Band 5-night charge above £60 per hour that have been booked for the Trust or Health Board in this time period (01/11/2023- 31/12/2023)

Please list any suppliers with a critical day rate charge (Band 5 or 6) ITU/A&E/Theatre or any other Speciality above the rate of £60 per hour that have been utilised in this time period.

Please list any suppliers with a critical night rate charge (Band 5 or 6) ITU/A&E/Theatre or any other Speciality above the rate of £70 per hour that have been utilised in this time period.

Response

1. Within this same time frame (1 st November 2023 until 31st December 2023) please list all wards or departments that utilised this agency and display the number of shifts in each.	None
2. Within this same time frame (1 st November 2023 until 31st December 2023) please list all other off contract agencies utilised by the Trust or Health Board for nursing and break down a list of each ward or department and total number of shifts for each off-contract agency.	None

3. Please list any suppliers with a general Band 5-day charge rate of over £50 per hour that have been booked for the Trust or Health Board in this time period (01/11/2023- 31/12/2023)	N/A
4. Please list any suppliers with a general Band 5 night charge above £60 per hour that have been booked for the Trust or Health Board in this time period (01/11/2023- 31/12/2023)	N/A
5. Please list any suppliers with a critical day rate charge (Band 5 or 6) ITU/A&E/Theatre or any other Speciality above the rate of £60 per hour that have been utilised in this time period.	N/A
6. Please list any suppliers with a critical night rate charge (Band 5 or 6) ITU/A&E/Theatre or any other Speciality above the rate of £70 per hour that have been utilised in this time period.	N/A

If you are dissatisfied with our response, you have the right to appeal in line with guidance from the Information Commissioner. In the first instance you may contact the Information Governance Manager of the Trust.

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Should you disagree with the contents of our response to your appeal, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioners Office at.

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If you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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