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Address / Email:

Dear

Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000

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

Request

Please could you provide me with the following information:

- 1. How many agencies are used to supply agency AHP staff, OT & Physio in particular?**
- 2. Of these agencies, how many are off framework – please list them?**
- 3. Over the past 6 months, how many staff members have been provided via an off-framework agency?**
- 4. Who is your highest paid agency Occupational Therapist & Physiotherapist, what is their speciality and their hourly charge?**
- 5. Please outline your spend per agency, broken down by grade and speciality of AHP staff over the past 6 months?**

Response

<u>Questions</u>	<u>Responses</u>
Q1. How many agencies are used to supply agency AHP staff, OT and Physio in particular?	All agencies on the HTE Framework – 56 in total.
Q2. Of these agencies, how many are off-framework – please list them?	None
Q3. Over the past 6 months, how many staff members have been provided via an off-framework agency?	Nil
Q4. Who is your highest paid agency Occupational Therapist &	N/A

Physiotherapist, what is their speciality and their hourly charge?	
Q5. Please outline your spend per agency, broken down by grade and speciality of AHP staff over the past 6 months?	Nil

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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