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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST FOI/012961 – Nursing staff break glass cause

1)
 Between 1st May 2016 and to date on a month by month basis, how many times was the break glass clause used within each hospital within your trust. If you are unable to break down the number by individual hospital, the total number for your trust would be fine.

Question 1

May	Jun	Jul
621	855	437

2)
 Between 1st May 2016 up to date, on a month by month basis, what was your monthly spend on nursing staff supplied using the break glass clause by each hospital within your trust. If you are unable to break down the number by individual hospital, the total number for your trust would be fine.

Question 2

May - £256,717
 June - £348,576
 July - £187,034

3)
 Regarding Questions 1 & 2, Please provide a break down of the break glass clause into nurse specialities for example, rgn, rmn, a&e, itu, critical, odp's, scrubs, paed, hdu, advance nurse practioners, amu etc

Question 3

The data on the breakdown by specialty overrides is as follows:-

General	Paeds	NNU	ITU	HDU	Theatres	Chemo	ED
260	130	47	282	57	656	173	308

4)
 The hourly rate paid to the agencies who supplied nursing staff via the break glass clause. If different agencies charge different hourly rates via the break glass clause, please provide a break down of each agency of their hourly rate. If you feel it is essential to not name specific agencies break glass clause rates then please state each agency hourly rate without the agency name.

For a copy of the hourly rates please contact FOI@dgh.nhs.uk quoting reference number FOI 012961

5. A list of agencies who have supplied nursing staff through the break glass clause

- ACTON BANKS
- ARCADIA RECRUITMENT LIMITED
- ARROWS GROUP HEALTHCARE SERVICES
- CAPITAL CARE UK LTD

CARE PROVIDERS HEALTHCARE
COYLE PERSONNEL PLC
CROMWELL MEDICAL STAFFING
DAYWEBSTER
DRC LOCUMS LIMITED
FAST RESPONSE HEALTHCARE
FIRSTPOINT HEALTHCARE
GREENSTAFF MEDICAL LIMITED
HCL INTERNATIONAL
HCL NURSING LTD
MAYDAY DIRECT 24 PLC
MAYDAY HEALTHCARE PLC
MEDBANK HEALTHCARE SOLUTIONS LTD
MEDICSPRO LTD
MSI RECRUITMENT LTD
MYLOCUM LTD
NS HEALTH STAFFING
PLAN B HEALTHCARE PLC
PRIME TIME RECRUITMENT LTD
PRIMERA ASSISTED LIVING LTD
QUALITY LOCUM SERVICES
RM MEDICS LTD
RM NURSING LIMITED
RMR RECRUITMENT LTD
ROBIN RECRUITMENT LTD
SERVICE CARE SOLUTIONS LTD
TEAM 24 LIMITED
TEAM SUPPORT MIDLANDS LTD
THE ID GROUP LTD
THORNBURY NURSING SERVICES
TTM HEALTHCARE
WIMBORNE NURSING AGENCY LTD
YOUR WORLD NURSING LTD

6) Do all agencies on the framework who supply nursing staff to you have the opportunity to supply via the break glass clause or is there a separate list for agencies approved to supply via the break glass clause.
Yes all agencies are provided with an opportunity to break glass

7. Name of Nurse Bank Manager
Rachel Ingham-Jones Head of HR Services
Tina Sharma – Rostering and Bank Staff Team Leader

8) Do you currently use off framework agencies?
Yes we do use off framework agencies when we are unable to fill the shift using Tier 1 or Tier 2