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**Date:** 22/11/2024

**Address / Email:**

Dear

**Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

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

**Request**

Could you please break down your spend on agency staff and locum doctors over the past three financial years (2023-24, 2022-23, 2021-22)?

Please could you split the spend up into:

- Agency & locum nurses
- Agency & locum doctors
- Other agency staff (not doctors or nurses)

If it is possible to access data from later this year (from April 2024 onwards), then please do also include spend up to the most recent month you have (and please share it by month).

**Response**

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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

**Freedom of Information Team**  
**The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust**